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See Frederic Remington's paintings in the
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NEXT SUNDAY

WOMAN IS SOUGHT IN MURDER OF GIRL FOUND IN HUDSON

She is Purchaser of Ticking in Which Body Was Wrapped When Taken From River.

AN ACTRESS IS MISSING

Eccentric Father of Another Girl Who Has Disappeared Is Taken Into Custody.

NEW YORK, Sept. 9.—The cold trail of the murderer, who skilfully cut up his victim and sank her body in the Hudson River less than 10 days ago, led detectives today to the little secondhand store of George Sachs on the upper West Side.

There was sold the pillow with the fancy red and blue ticking, in which a portion of the slain girl's body was found. A middle-aged woman, stout and poorly dressed, bought it last April.

The hunt narrowed. Who she is and where she lives were questions of a storm of detections set themselves to answer.

The pillow was traced directly to her, because the manufacturers had made but a dozen of this kind, had sold but two. One of these was accounted for, the other went to the woman sought by the detectives. The 10 remaining pillows lie on Sachs' shelves.

The river had yielded this morning no further members of the victim's body and identification was still guess-work. Until the head is found, or the woman who bought the pillow, identification probably will be impossible.

Many Girls Missing. Stories of girls missing from home come by the dozen to the District Attorney's office since the murder came to light. There were two instances, however, in which detectives were interested above all others.

One was the case of Ella Sternemann, missing a year, whose father is the author of several incoherent letters sent to the Morgue Keeper and the District Attorney.

The long vigil of detectives at Sternemann's home was rewarded finally by his appearance. He was led away by detectives, no one seemed to know where. It was reported he had been arrested as a suspect.

The two rooms in which Sternemann lived were topsy-turvy with useless samples of millinery and feathers, by selling which he eked out a living. There were 14 Bibles also in one of the rooms.

The other missing girl's case is that of Jeannette Norman, a vaudeville actress, who was employed at a local amusement park. She disappeared on Aug. 31. That is the date of the newspaper wrapped about the second portion of the torso.

Indications that the slain girl was an actress have caused the police to institute a general search for Miss Norman.

Reporters found the little two-room apartment occupied by Sternemann in a small frame house at 118 Globe avenue, Jamaica. The landlady, Mrs. Wise, said he had answered an advertisement which placed in a German newspaper about two weeks ago regarding her rooms.

A "Queen Old Man."

Sternemann has slept there every night since last Thursday, remaining away from early in the morning until late at night each day.

Mrs. Wise described Sternemann as a "queer old man," saying that he frequently talked to himself and gave her the impression that there was someone in his rooms. She said he had told her Friday morning that the girl who was found in the river was his daughter, but he did not go into details and did not seem to be much affected by the fact, which he evidently believed to be true.

Friday Sternemann asked Mrs. Wise to hang out two pieces which he had washed in his rooms. They were a large burp bag and a pair of trousers.

Among the effects in Sternemann's rooms was a box about two feet square on which he had arranged three padlocks and a Yale lock, all of which were fastened. A coil of rope was thrown over a quantity of boxes containing millinery supplies, such as feathers, wire and trimmings.

While the pillow cover traced partly holds hope for the police investigation, the greatest importance is attached to several strands of frail, silk-covered wire; a stretch of rope and a number of sheets of heavy paper in which the parts of the body so far found were wrapped.

The wire is of the variety used by dentists in stiffening ribbons worn on women's hats, and in stiffening also the stem and larger leaves of artificial flowers.

Physicals' Conclusions. The three doctors who performed the autopsy came to these conclusions:

That the primary cause of death was hemorrhage resulting from the dismemberment of the body.

That this dismemberment was made, or at least was begun, while the woman was alive.

That the motive for the crime was apparent, though there was no evidence of any preparation for or attempts to perform a criminal operation.

Slayer of Father Exonerated. CHICAGO, Sept. 9.—A jury today exonerated Nicholas Bulekoma, 17 years old, who shot and killed his father in defense of his mother. The boy's mother testified that her husband was dragging her by the hair when the shot was fired.

FAIR WEATHER, WITH RISING TEMPERATURE

THE TEMPERATURES.

High. 91 at 2 p. m. Low. 71 at 11:55 p. m.

POSTMASTERSHIP FOR SELPH POST MORTEM FOR MAJOR AND I!

"Papa," said Willie. "What, what?" asked papa. "Who's a Hoo Hoo?" "Who's a what, what?" "No, not a what what; a Hoo Hoo." "Why why do you want to know?" "Where where else could I find out?" "Who who knows?" "Which Hoo Hoo?" "Hoo hoo." "Hoo hoo."

Humidity: At 7 p. m. Monday, 73 per cent; at 7 a. m. Tuesday, 81 per cent; mean, 77 per cent.

Stage of the river: 4.8 feet; a rise of .1 of a foot.

Official forecast for St. Louis and vicinity: Fair tonight and tomorrow, with rising temperature.

Missouri—Generally fair tonight and tomorrow, with rising temperature.

Illinois—Fair tonight and probably tomorrow, with rising temperature.

Ohio—Fair tonight and probably tomorrow, with rising temperature.

Alabama—Fair tonight and probably tomorrow, with rising temperature.

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Alabama—Fair tonight

SENATE VOTES ON TARIFF AT 4 TODAY; MAJORITY INTACT

Agreement Reached After 16-Hour Session, Which Is Adjourning Just Before 2 a.m.

REPUBLICANS LOSE HOPE

Ransdell and Thornton Alone Desert Democrats in Fights Over Sugar and Wool.

Important Changes in Tariff Made by Senate

WASHINGTON, Sept. 9.—The more important changes made in the Administration tariff bill by the Senate are as follows:

The average rates of duty were cut from 20 per cent in the House to 25 per cent and the free list was vastly extended.

Income tax exemption was made \$300, with allowance of \$1000 for husband or wife and \$1000 for two or more children.

Tax was put on cotton futures of 50 cents a bale, effective after Sept. 1, 1914.

Cattle and wheat were added to free list as well as meats and flour.

Meat importations are required to stand United States inspection.

Bananas taxed one-tenth of a cent a pound.

Brandy fortifying pure sweet wines, heretofore free, are taxed \$1.10 a gallon.

House antidumping provisions requiring goods to be sold in the United States as cheaply as in home state of producer was stricken out and the prohibition on convict-made and child labor goods.

Joint committee to revise administrative features was created.

House provisions for a countervailing duty on wood pulp was stricken out.

Free art provisions of House bill was made more restrictive.

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 9.—The final vote on the tariff bill will be taken in the Senate at 4 o'clock this afternoon, in accordance with an agreement reached before the Senate adjourned before 2 o'clock this morning, after a 16 hours' session, in which many important features, including free wool and free sugar, were disposed of.

Senators who had remained in the chamber until adjournment returned sleepy-eyed at 9 o'clock for the final deliberations—the income tax, the cotton schedule and several other amendments remaining to be discussed.

Republicans Give Up Hope. The Republicans today gave up hope of carrying any amendments and permitted many of the votes to be taken without roll-calls. When the fight over agricultural products opened, Senators Thornton and Ransdell of Louisiana, Democrats, joined the Republicans in voting against the low duties of the Democratic bill. An amendment by Senator Bristow for a 15 per cent duty on cattle, swine, sheep and other domestic animals was defeated, 22 to 29. The Senate Committee's action in cutting off the 10 per cent duty on cattle fixed by the House bill and putting them on the free list then should be no applause.

The sugar schedule without amendment and including the provision for free sugar in 1916 finally was agreed to at 1 o'clock this morning.

An amendment by Chairman Simmons of the Finance Committee to enable farmers to manufacture denatured alcohol was agreed to without opposition. The amendment removes the prohibitory restrictions now requiring by law.

After agreeing to numerous minor paragraphs and agreeing to vote at 4 p.m. today, the Senate adjourned at 11:17 a.m. to 9 a.m.

The managers of the bill say the passage of the bill is assured, but they give no figures on the majority.

STATE OPENS INQUIRY INTO GARMENT STRIKE

Two Members of Arbitration Board Hear Workers' Side; Will Listen to Employers Later.

C. B. Dysart of Moberly and H. F. Childers of Columbia, chairman and secretary of the State Board of Arbitration and Mediation, began Tuesday an inquiry into the strike of the 900 St. Louis garment workers.

They met in the office of A. Rosenblatt, editor of the *Standard View*, 210 Olive street, with several strike leaders, and listened to a recital of the workers' demands and their grievances. Reporters were excluded from the conference.

Later, it is expected, the two other members of the board will arrive, and the employers' side of the case will be heard. The chairman and secretary said they could not announce any program at this time.

WHITE WIFE OF CHINAMAN HELD FOR HIS MURDER

Police Hold Prisoner for Hour in Room With Body, but Fail to Force Confession.

CHICAGO, Sept. 9.—Mrs. Alice Da-vis Sing, white widow of Charles Sing, wealthy Chinese merchant, found murdered in his home several days ago, was booked today on a charge of murder and is held without bail. The complainant is Frank Sing Low, brother of the murdered man.

Mrs. Sing was questioned for hours by the police, but maintained she is innocent. She was kept in a room at the morgue yesterday, with the body of the victim for an hour, the police hoping to force admissions from her, but the plan failed. She wept hysterically and threw herself on the body in paroxysms of grief.

"I took Plant Juice several years ago in Oklahoma City. I found out then that it was a great remedy, so when I saw in the papers that it was sold here I immediately went up to the Wolf-Wilson Drug Co. store to get some. I have been troubled lately with my kidneys and stomach and was bothered with constipation. I have used three bottles of it and it has cured me of all my troubles. Plant Juice is a great medicine and I can recommend it to anyone."

Plant Juice has many friends in all parts of the country who are always willing to say a good word for it.

This great vegetable tonic has restored many tired, sick and weak people to health and strength than any other remedy on the market. It clears the blood of all impurities, strengthens weak kidneys, corrects constipation and regulates the bowels; it tones up the digestive organs, gives a good appetite, and eradicates all malaria from the system.

Plant Juice is an Old Friend of His.

COURT CALLS PLAY IN SHUBERT HOUSE 'GROSS, REVOLTING'



New York Magistrate Sees "The Lure;" Will Issue Warrant for its Producer.

By Leased Wire From the New York Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Sept. 9.—In the crude against the "red light" melodramas, Chief Magistrate McAdoo announced that he would accept formal complaints against "The Lure" in Maxine Elliott's Theater and "The Fight" in the Hudson Theater, and issue warrants today for the arrest of Lee Shubert, one of the producers of the former play, and William Harris, an executor of the Henry B. Harris estate, which is sponsor for the other drama. McAdoo excoriated "The Lure."

Lee Shubert is managing director of "Sam and Lee Shubert, Inc.," which, among other playhouses, owns the Shubert Theater in St. Louis. A road company which is now in Los Angeles, expects to produce "The Lure" in St. Louis.

Shubert, Harris and Mrs. Irene Harris appeared before the chief magistrate in answer to the summons issued Saturday. With Shubert was William Klein, attorney, who asked for an adjournment so that Samuel Untermyer, who will represent the Shuberts in subsequent proceedings, might see the play last night.

"I saw 'The Lure' myself Saturday night," said Chief Magistrate McAdoo, "and I decided then I would issue a warrant for the arrest of its manager. However, to let Mr. Untermyer see the play, I will hold the warrant for the arrest of Mr. Shubert in abeyance."

Deputy Commissioner Newburger, who was detailed by Police Commissioner Waldo to see "The Fight," read from "Hemisphere," noting that the dialogue from the first and second acts of the play and described the setting and action of the second act, which reproduces graphically a room in a brothel. The magistrate said that Newburger's evidence was sufficient to justify the issuance of a warrant, but that he would hold the warrant for the arrest of Harris in abeyance and have it served this afternoon, the hearing expected to continue at 2:30 o'clock, and the hearing for "The Lure" being set for 12 o'clock.

Police to Question Him Concerning Theft From Eight Other Loaded Vehicles.

Manhattan Drophead Machine, regular value \$18.00, special at \$9.75

Scruggs M. Special; regular value \$25.00; special at \$18.00

S-V-B Special Machine; regular value \$28.00, special at \$22.50

NO GASOLINE FOR FIRE PUMP; HOTEL IN MARISSA BURNS

Firemen Hunt for Fuel to Replace That Which Had Been Removed, While Blaze Spreads.

While the Thompson Hotel in Marissa, Ill., 23 miles southeast of Belleville, was burning early Tuesday morning, and guests were being carried out in their night clothing, members of the volunteer fire department ran about begging for gasoline with which to keep the pumping engine. Someone had taken the reserve supply of gasoline which was kept in the engine for such emergencies.

By the time gasoline was obtained, and the engine started, the hotel was past saving. In an attempt to prevent the burning of an adjoining garage, belonging to Boyle Bros., four walls were pumped dry, but the garage went, too, after the automobile had been removed.

The hotel, a two-story structure, was owned by J. A. Thompson, president of the Marissa First National Bank. The building and contents were destroyed, with a loss estimated at \$25,000.

W. R. Coulter, manager of the hotel, was awakened by the smell of smoke, and he carried his wife out of the building, then returned and awakened his son, Frank, his daughter Florence and Miss Lorene Deen of Mascoutah, who occupied an adjoining room.

Coulter and his son, who is 22 years old, then called the other guests. A St. Louis traveling man whose name was not given, was found helpless and almost asphyxiated. He was carried out, but lost his clothing and all his savings.

Edward Dobkins of Belleville, an official of the United Mine Workers, was aroused, and ran out and took refuge in a livery stable.

D. W. Greenhouse, an employee of a Marissa newspaper, and George Douglas, a plumber, also got out without any of their belongings, and had to borrow clothes.

GROCERIES STOLEN FROM WAGON, HUCKSTER HELD

Police to Question Him Concerning Theft From Eight Other Loaded Vehicles.

Henderson Automatic Chainstitch Machine, special at \$35.00

Housemate Rotary Machine, drophead, special at \$35.00

We give free sewing-machine lessons to every purchaser of a machine.

Supplies for all makes of machines can be secured in this department.

Seventh Floor.

Save on Splendid Sewing Machines By Attending This Sale

If you are ready to begin your Fall sewing and need a good sewing machine here is an opportunity to buy one at a saving that is well worth while. We are offering a limited number of machines—each with our regular 10-year guarantee and with a full set of the finest steel attachments—at prices as low as \$9.75 or up to \$35.00.

If you so desire you may buy a machine on our easy-payment plan of \$1.00 down and \$1.00 a week until complete payment has been made.

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Come to Vandervoort's for Service—for Quality —For the Best Goods for the Price No Matter What the Price

Our Great Sale of Laces and Trimmings Continues to Offer Phenomenal Values

Many are realizing the importance of the exceptional values being offered now during our great sale of Laces and Trimmings, and are buying liberally. The values, some of which we list here, have never been equaled in such new and popular effects.

Novelty Laces of Milan, Venise, Oriental, Cracquelle, Chantilly and shadow, in Bands, Gauze and 18 and 27 inch Flounces, priced at the yard, 75c and \$1.00

18 and 27 inch Shadow, Val, and Oriental Lace Flounces, suitable for Bands, Edges and Gauze, in a wonderful array of choice patterns. The yard \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$2.00

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Seventh Floor.

The Latest Corset Ideas for Fall Gowns

Our custom corset maker has just returned from New York with all the latest ideas for corset models for the new Fall gowns. The leading corsetieres of the East have been visited to glean everything new in the art of corset-making.

Straight lines are more than ever in evidence this season, there being almost no taper between waist and hip.

Special attention is given to the reduction of large hips and thighs. Every patron is guaranteed satisfaction, and if you should not be pleased in every detail the corset remains ours.

We also make a specialty of meeting requirements where there is any deformity in the figure. Our ability to make corsets or abdominal supports in surgical cases, either before or after operations, is well known, and an several of the leading physicians and surgeons of this city will testify.

We feel that we make as perfect Custom Corsets as can be found in this country or abroad, and our prices are more reasonable.

An excellent Brocade of white Peau de Cygne, especially desirable for evening wear, is made in our workshop for \$3.75

Second Floor.

Satin Messaline at \$1 An Exceptional Value

3000 yards of 36-inch Satin Messaline—pure silk—has just been received. It is of superior finish and comes in a most bewildering assortment of colors comprising all of the staple colors as well as the season's ultra-fashionable shades. We consider this silk to be the best quality for the price that we have ever shown. The yard \$1.00

A visit to our Silk Department at this time will prove a revelation to all who are interested in the new Silks for Fall. The railroads have been literally pouring shipments into our delivery rooms daily, and we are now making a display that is without parallel in our history. Second Floor.

New Fall Dress Goods

Our Dress Goods Department now affords an unsurpassed choice of all the newest and most exclusive weaves besides a most pleasing assortment of the inexpensive kinds.

50-in. French Serge—all-wool—in navy, brown, cardinal, etc. A special value at \$1.00

46-in. Navy Diagonal—a good weight, suitable for street dresses and coats. The yard \$1.00

Our present showing of French Challis is especially complete and includes floral effects, fancy border designs, figures and stripes on white and colored grounds. The yard \$3.75 and \$7.50

54-in. Granita Suiting—a splendid, wearing fabric—shown in the favored colors for Fall, such as mahogany, navy, cardinal, browns, etc. The yard \$2.00

Imported Tailor Suitings in new styles for the Fall season, including fancy mixtures, stripes, checks, etc., in grays, browns and blues. The yard \$2.50 to \$3.50, special price

Second Floor.

New Silverware for the Table

Silverware for the table is an important item in every household, and nowhere can you secure a better selection of silverware that will give satisfactory service than at Vandervoort's. This department is now located on the Fourth Floor and is showing a number of new lines for Fall.

Prices on Silver-plated Ware

Flat-handled Knives and Forks, 6 ea. \$2.95

Store Hours 8:30 to 6, Saturdays included.

Public Telephones, Private Booths—Third Floor.

WEATHER—Fair, rising temperature.

Public Library Branch—Second Floor.

Olympic and Shubert Theater Tickets—Postoffice, Main Floor.

The 21st Anniversary Sale Is to Continue All This Week!

The selling force and every part of this store's service is doing itself proud in handling the tremendous volume of business which is the result of our Twenty-first Anniversary Sale.

Both yesterday and today the crowds were of pre-Christmas proportion.

Not a few of those who came were residents of St. Louis when "the little store on Broadway" opened for business twenty-one years ago. One good old gentleman said: "Many stores didn't do business then like they do now—you was mighty lucky to get your money back even though dissatisfied." Quite right, too!

But "the little store on Broadway" was one of the pathfinders to safe and sane merchandising methods.

It always practised most conscientiously, the one-price—same price-to-all system.

It believed in and steadfastly practiced the "money back if not satisfied" method.

The little store on Broadway applied the Golden Rule to every transaction and was well repaid, for it did not take the people long to learn.

The store grew by leaps and bounds, outgrowing two locations in a little over a decade.

Grand-Leader on Its Twenty-First Birthday Occupies a Building With More Square Feet of Selling Space Than Any Other St. Louis Store

And Today—

This is not only the largest store in point of space occupied, but also in volume of business.

It is a well-known fact among business men and others who know, that Grand-Leader is by far, the largest distributor of merchandise at retail west of the Mississippi River. But, after all, size is indeed little to boast of!

This store is biggest because it has been and is best.

This store must continue best if it is to continue biggest.

It must lead the way not only in merchandise and in values, but in something equally important—and that is, service.

This store will continue to rank best, because of its superior buying organization—because of its numerous facilities and determination to serve best.

21st Anniversary Sale of Barrettes and Hairpins

Very fine shell and amber Barrettes, with Hairpins to match. Set with small-size pure white brilliant rhinestones, or hand engraved gold inlaid. Regularly \$1 to \$1.50 choice, 69c each. (Main Floor.)

21st Anniversary Sale of \$1 German Silver Vanities

Come in French gray or tula effect (striped silver). Each case contains compartment for powder and puff, two coin spaces, mirror and place for visiting cards. (Main Floor.)

21st Anniversary Sale of \$1.50 China Dresser Sets

Each set consists of Comb and Brush Tray, Powder Box, Hair Receiver and Hatpin Holder—choice of five very pretty decorations, in Anniversary Sale at the very small price of 75c set. (Fifth Floor.)

21st Anniversary Sale of 60c Decorated Plates

Rosenthal's Bavarian China Plates—139c—luncheon size—with heat pink rose decoration and gold lined. Offered in sets of six for 39c. (Fifth Floor.)

21st Anniversary Sale of \$3.50 Thomson's Corsets

Thomson's Glove-fitting Corsets, in a new extra long model, \$1.65 of fine coutil, extra strong boning and three pairs of heavy web supporters. A Corset that will give excellent service. (Second Floor.)

21st Anniversary Sale of 75c Crepe de Chines

Very popular, because of its clinging and graceful draping qualities—48c for party dresses, waists and underwear. Pretty light and dark colors, also white—23 inches wide. (Second Floor.)

21st Anniversary Sale of \$2 and \$2.50 Velvets

Genuine English Dress Velvets, in plain, pin stripe, suiting effects and mixtures, in the new and staple Fall shades, 27 inches wide. Choice \$2 and Wednesday at the very small price of 95c a yard. (Second Floor.)

21st Anniversary Sale of \$4.75 New Matelasses

The most stylish silk today—used in combination with plain shades to match. Come in all the new Fall colors medium and dark. Value \$4.75 also ivory and black—42 inches wide. Special, \$2.75 yard. (Second Floor.)

21st Anniversary Sale of \$1 "Gotham" Bed Sheets

One of the best-wearing Sheets—75c ever produced—made of fine snow-white cotton, and nicely hemmed. Size 81x99 inches. Anniversary Sale \$1 for Wednesday at 75c each. (Second Floor.)

21st Anniversary Sale of \$1.50 Lisle Union Suits

Women's Swiss ribbed mercerized Lisle thread Union Suits with lace-trimmed knees, tubular band neck and arms. Usually \$1.50, but in the Anniversary Sale Wednesday, 75c. (Main Floor.)

21st Anniversary Sale of 50c Lisle Stockings

Women's Lisle Stockings in black, gauge weight, made with all the improved splicings in soles, heels and toes—50c quality, 25c. (Main Floor.)

Notes—

Special menu in the Restaurant every day this week.

Mr. Rodemich and his orchestra, assisted by Miss Mary Wade, soprano, are rendering splendid programs between the hours of 12 m. and 2 p. m. in the Sixth Floor Restaurant.

Different list of Anniversary Specials for every day this week. Watch the papers!

Pianos

A few years ago it was not possible for one to buy a Piano in this city with absolute assurance that the price paid was as low as that Piano could be purchased for.

It Remained for This Store to Introduce to St. Louis an Equitable System of Selling Pianos

It is a system that marks in plain figures a price on every instrument.

A system which brings the selling of pianos to the same basis as merchandise is sold in every other department—a fair price, fair price representing fair profit for the seller and complete satisfaction for the buyer, and that price to be the same to yourself as to your neighbor.

The Piano Store is offering a number of special values this week in sample instruments which must be disposed of to make room for new goods.

We print a partial list.

88-note Furlong Player, \$815

88-note Krell Royal Player, \$848

88-note Burmeister Player, \$198

88-note Gerhard Player, \$298

Vose Piano, special, \$295

Ludwig Piano, special, \$270

Smith & Nixon Piano, \$270

Francis Bacon Piano, at \$285

(Fourth Floor.)

50c and 75c Shirts, 35c

Infants' Shirts of wool and silk—down front, silk scalloped edge. Sizes up to 2 years. Special, \$3.50

\$3 Balkan Dresses, \$1.69

Children's Dresses, made of white galatea, with plaited skirts and Balkan blouses, trimmed in the new Bulgarian braid. Sizes 2 to 6 years. Special, \$1.69

\$1.50 Dresses at 75c

Infants' Long and Short Dresses of nainsook. Made yoke style, daintily trimmed with lace, embroidery and pin tucks. Wednesday's price, 75c

(Second Floor.)

50c Stamped Pillowcases, 17c pair

Unsewed pillowcases, size 42x36 inches; made of good quality bleached cotton, stamped in several attractive simple designs; 35c quality; in Anniversary Sale, 17c pair

(Second Floor.)

50c White Ratines, 19c Yd

Fine all-white Ratine or Rice Cloth, light weight, for waists and suits, special Anniversary Sale price at the yard, 19c

19c Tan Pique Suitings, 61c

Bleached Crash Toweling, 4c

35c Black Sateen, satin finish, yd., 19c

(Second Floor.)

50c Stamped Bags, 19c

Bags of every description made up and stamped ready for embroidery. Some with clasps, others with drawstrings. Usually 50c to 75c, in the Anniversary Sale, 19c

(Bargain Square 7—Main Floor.)

50c Coaster Sets at 69c

Large Tray and six Coasters with tile centers, floral decorations, nickel-plated rim. Also Glass Trays and Coasters, cut star center, 69c set

(Bargain Square 6—Main Floor.)

60c Table Damask, 30c

An extra fine quality of highly mercerized bleached Table Damask, 72 inches wide and comes in new patterns. 60c quality, special, 30c yard

(Bargain Square 15—Main Floor.)

60c Hotel Sheets, 59c Each

Ready-made Hotel Sheets, bleached and of extra length, being 2 1/2 yards wide and 3 yards long—special Wednesday at each, 59c

7 1/2c Crash Suitings, 10c Yd

Heavy Linen Crash Suitings in the natural tan color, for skirts, suits and fancy work. While a lot of 1000 yards last, 10c

12 1/2c Curtain Swiss at 8c Yard

Fifty pieces of pretty Curtain Swiss, of fine quality and full 26 inches in width. While the quantity lasts, 8c yard

15c and 25c for 25c to 75c Curtain Laces

One thousand pieces of Curtain Laces, in one-yard lengths, suitable for such curtains, vestibule doors and transoms. Cut from the full piece the prices are 25c to 75c yard. Divided into two lots at remnant, 15c and 25c

10c Yard for Printed Madras and Casement Cloths

One hundred pieces of Printed Curtain Madras and Casement Cloths, in beautiful assortment of pretty patterns and color combinations. Make attractive curtains and overdraperies, and will launder. Remarkable value at

10c yard (Basement.)

25c Embroideries, 12 1/2c

Sample strips of Cambria and Swiss Embroidery Edges, Allover, Bands and Insertions, in widths up to 7 inches. Some have slight defects, but most of them are perfect. Anniversary Sale price, 5c yard

50c Handkerchiefs, 3c

Men's Handkerchiefs—plain white and full size. Women's Handkerchiefs—plain, cords, crossbars and with fancy initials. Choice, 3c

Men's 12 1/2c Handkerchiefs, 5c

Women's Linen Handkerchiefs, 5c (Basement.)

Children's Underwear, 19c

Fleece-lined Vests and Pants, made of soft-finished cotton. Come in peeler color, and in sizes to 16 years. Regular 35c quality—Wednesday at

19c the garment (Basement.)

25c Embroideries, 12 1/2c

Embroidery Corset Coverings and Flouncings, full 18 inches wide. Prettily embroidered on good quality Swiss and cambria. With and without beading tops. Choice, 12 1/2c yard (Basement.)

Men's \$1.50 Shirts, 75c

Men's Colored Flannel Shirts, in dark gray, brown, navy, tan and maroon. Made with flat collar attached and reinforced yoke. Size assortments are broken. Choice, 75c (Basement.)

3 O'Clock Special

Fancy printed Persian designs in Cotton Challis

for kilimons, house dresses and comforts—36 inches wide—12 1/2c quality, 7 1/2c Yard (Basement.)

STIX BAER & FULLER D.G. CO GRAND-LEADER

Entire Block—Sixth, Washington, Seventh and Lucas

Fresh-Cut Roses, 19c Dozen

Tomorrow we will place on sale 10,000 beautiful Fresh-Cut Roses, in all the most popular varieties, including—

Gruss au Tepitz, Soupert, Helen Gould (red),

Helen Ward (yellow), Madame Crochet (white or pink), Magna Charta (red),

All fresh from the greenhouses of one of St. Louis' most prominent growers of high-grade roses, and on sale, while the quantity lasts, tomorrow, choice 19c dozen (Main Floor.)

21st Anniversary Sale of

\$4 New Dress Trimmings

Included are Novelty Beaded Bands and Passamaneries, \$1.98 Beaded, Jeweled and Embroidered—\$4 to \$6.50 yard \$4 to qualities—choice, \$1.98 yard. (Main Floor.)

21st Anniversary Sale of

\$6 Pattern Tablecloths

Size 81x81 inches—made of fine bleached double satin damask, all new round designs, in the Anniversary Sale at about half value usual selling price—special, \$3.50. (Second Floor.)

21st Anniversary Sale of

40c Guest Toweling

Very fine all-linen figured Huck Toweling used for hand-scalloping and hand-embroidering. 17 inches wide—in the Anniversary Sale \$40 Wednesday, 25c yard. (Second Floor.)

21st Anniversary Sale of

\$1 Dress Linens

Irish and French Dress Linens, in plain weaves; ramie and novelties, in white and colors. Choice of our entire \$1 line at just half price, \$0.50. (Second Floor.)

21st Anniversary Sale of

\$6.50 Folding Go-Carts</h2

JEWELER IS FINED \$50; WIFE SAYS HE HIT HER

Mrs. Frank Niehaus Jr., Testifies That When Intoxicated He Bruised Her Face.

Frank Niehaus Jr., a jeweler at 1302 Franklin avenue, was fined \$50 in the Dayton Street Police Court Tuesday on the testimony of his wife, Lulu.

Mrs. Niehaus testified that at 1 p. m. Monday Niehaus entered the store intoxicated and demanded that she give him all the cash on hand. She told

him she had banked the money, she said, and he struck her with his fist, bruising her face and cutting her lips.

Niehaus on the stand denied that he struck his wife. He excitedly said that he was trying to get control of his business and that she usually carried a revolver. They have been married seven years. Niehaus filed notice of appeal.

The influence of the Want Columns—especially in the Post-Dispatch—is increasing. More persons are constantly writing to be represented in the columns, and bringing and though they "try" other mediums they come back to the big-result medium. See the wants to rent that spare room.

WIFE, ARRESTED IN HOTEL WITH MAN, SUED FOR DIVORCE

Louis A. Gersich, in Action Against Former Beauty, Cites Rooming House Incident.

CHALLENGE SALE BARGAINS

WE SPELL IT LARGE BECAUSE THEY ARE LARGE

Our Challenge Sale is beyond competition in larger values of new, desirable merchandise, bought especially for this sale months ago. Come and save.



\$15 Women's Tailored Suits	\$5
Early Fall values for women, misses and Juniors; all wool serges, Bed- fords, etc.; guaran- teed to be the best in the market; 225 of these Suits, \$12.50 and \$15 values, at	\$5
\$20 New Fall Tailored Suits	12.50
Early Fall values for misses, women and Juniors; finest wool serges, new draped shirts, etc.; guaran- teed to be the best tailoring; \$20 specials at	12.50
\$2.50 Silk Brocades	\$1.39
The very latest ideas in new brocades, mosaics, etc.; all sizes; the finest \$2.50 quality are to be had at this extra value in the market; all street and evening colors; all 40 in. wide; at	\$1.39
10c Outing Flannels in remnants; Wednes- day	5c
Durable fleeced Outing Flannels, in remnants; Wednes- day	5c
\$2 School Dresses	79c
Special lot of fine lingham, linenes, etc., in new silk, etc.; surplus stock at less than half; sizes 6 to 14 years; \$1.50 to \$2 values.	79c
English Longcloth	62c
950 yards pure English Long- cloth; 36 inches wide; soft chambray finish; on sale at 2:30 p. m. Wednesday	62c
12 1/2c Zephyr Ginghams	71/2c
Zephyr Ginghams; linen finished; great bargains; per yard	71/2c
Sample Shoes	79c
600 pairs of Children's Sample Shoes; regular \$1.25 and \$1.50 grades; sizes 6 to 8; button and blucher styles.	79c
69c Table Damask	29c
72 inches wide; splen- did patterns; only a fair size quantity, must limit 2 to 4 yards to a customer; rare opportuni- ty; at yard	29c
Men's 35c Silk Sox	15c
Pure thread silk; fast black; seamless; double sole and high spiced heel; slight seconds; while 60 dozen last, Wednesday	15c
Women's 25c Lisle Hose	15c
Lisle thread, full seamless, stock- ings; 1 1/2 in. wide; waist; toe; double garter top; very clas- sic; double heel; black tan, white, and pink; 2 pairs 25c. or, pair	15c
Boys' \$5 and \$6.50 Suits	\$2.95
All wool blue serge, waistcoat and fancy mixtures; all sizes from 5 to 12 years; regular \$5 and \$6.50 Suits; special for boys; only	\$2.95
85c Linoleum 4-Yds. Wide	37c
800 mill remains of fine linoleum; sizes ranging from 8 to 30 yds.; all widths; 1 choice quality; in art or heavy weight; on sale Wednesday	37c
\$8 Cotton Felt Mattresses	\$3.98
All sizes 12 in. thick choice qual- ity; ticking in the art or heavy weight; on sale Wednesday	\$3.98
\$18 Dining Room Domes	\$5.98
For gas or electricity; large 24-inch size; with extra fancy tube linings; made in various colors; while 80 special value at	\$5.98
\$3.50 Copper Wash Boilers	\$1.95
Large No. 8 size; made of extra heavy all copper; 200 on spe- cial sale Wednes- day	\$1.95

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WATCHMAN ACQUITTED OF MANSLAUGHTER

Judge Decides Fatal Injuries to Park Visitor Were Accidental and Frees G. W. Decker.

George W. Decker, watchman at Carr Park, was acquitted Monday at a preliminary hearing in the Court of Criminal Correction of a charge of manslaughter. He was accused of causing the death of Michael Kennedy, 55, whom he had ejected from the park. Judge Clark held that the fatal injuries were accidental.

The evidence showed that Decker pushed the man out of the park after he had annoyed a woman while he was intoxicated. Kennedy returned and struck Decker, witnesses said, and Decker struck him. In falling, Kennedy's head struck an iron water-pipe. He died Aug. 9 at the city hospital.

Town Owes Bill, Left in Darkness.
JOLIET, Ill., Sept. 9.—Lockport, a suburb of Joliet, is in darkness because of the shutting off of all electrical power in the city by the Sanitary District. Lockport is in arrears with the district and refuses to grant a new franchise unless part of the debt is wiped off the books.

Rich Duluth Man Was Murdered.
DULUTH, Minn., Sept. 9.—John McAlpine, the wealthy Duluth lumberman, recently found dead in the basement of his home, was murdered, but by whom is unknown, in the opinion of the St. Louis County grand jury. The jury had been deliberating on the case for three days.

If you have material in you to be a leader, don't stay in the ranks. Find your chance through Post-Dispatch Want.

Washington Av. at Seventh—the Heart of Retail St. Louis

Neusteter's First Ostrich Plume Sale

Wednesday morning we shall present for your inspection one of the most gorgeous displays of Ostrich Plumes ever shown in any millinery department West of New York City. The latest Parisian creations show a strong tendency toward ostrich effects, making it practically a certainty that it will be the correct trimming for the popular modes in women's head-dress, for this season. In spite of the ostrich craze in the East and the great demand due to the higher cost on all fine ostrich plumes, we were fortunate enough to place our orders months ahead, when the manufacturers were not so rushed, which will enable us to offer a complete line of plumes and novelties at remarkably low prices. Each plume made expressly for Neusteter's, of the most select male ostrich stock.



12.50 French Plumes for 6.95

These fine Plumes, 21
inches long, 12 inches
wide. Guaranteed four-
ply, of heavy flues—are
an extraordinary value at
the above price.

Black French Plumes, 1.95

16-inch length; 4-
ply; broadhead; usual
price 3.50.

Broad-head Plumes, 2.10

A beautiful French
Plume, in black or
white; regular 4.00.

5.00 French Plumes for 2.95

A beautiful selection
of these in all colors;
for Wednesday's sell-
ing only.

7.50 Ostrich Plumes for 3.50

18-in. length, of se-
lected stock, in a large
variety of colors; for
Wednesday only.

200 Ostrich Bands, a Regular 3.00 Value, for 1.00

Only one of these to a customer. Colorings in black,
white and all the most wanted shades.

20% Discount 20%

On all Ostrich Plumes priced from
10.00 to 60.00 to be deducted at
time of purchase, during this sale
only.

The Neusteter 5.00 Trimmed Hat

Is an excellent \$10 value, both in style and quality.

Make your selection now—will gladly hold any purchase for future delivery

Madame and Miss—Don't overlook this opportunity to save at least 33 1/3 to 50% on your new Fall Suit purchase, by taking advantage of this

First Fall Suit Sale

Of showroom samples, makers' duplicates and
modifications of higher-priced new Paris Suits that are actually
worth from \$30 to 49.75, on sale
at the one price

Two of the many
styles at 18.75

For over a month we have been ransacking the style market for the very choicest Suits we could find for this great event. You will agree with us that we have succeeded in getting together a collection of Suits such as have never been offered for such a remarkably low price as 18.75. The styles are this season's prettiest—the fabrics are the newest—the workmanship and linings are unsurpassed. They come in matelasse, brocaded cloths, diagonals, serges, wide-wale cheviots, men's wear mixtures and Bedford cords. All the prevailing Autumn 1913 shades are here—plum, mahogany, gray, brown, navy and black. Each Suit is faultlessly hand tailored and is lined with either Skinner's satin, fine messaline or peau de cygne. There are all sizes for women, misses and juniors. Actual \$30 to 49.75 values, all at the one price



Sale of Chiffon Blouses, Values \$5 to 8.50, at 3.75

Almost unheard-of values to be found in this unusual sale. They consist of show room samples and makers' duplicates. It is one of those lucky strikes, for rarely is such an opportunity afforded so early in the season. They are mostly navy blue, a few gray, plum, brown and black. Not many of any one style. There are all sizes.

Washington Av. at Seventh—the Heart of Retail St. Louis

It Is New!

THE next Sunday Post-Dispatch Magazine will be a novelty in journalism—new in form, new in size and new in contents. America's and England's greatest authors and artists are on its staff.

It Is Different!

CONAN DOYLE'S latest and greatest novel—more thrilling than "The Lost World"—begins in the next Sunday Post-Dispatch Magazine. The title will be memorable in the list of this great story teller's work; it is "The Poison Belt."

It Is New in Form!

TWO great paintings by Frederic Remington, America's greatest painter of Western scenes, will be reproduced in the next Sunday Post-Dispatch Magazine. Their titles are: "Five Thousand Dollars Reward—Dead or Alive" and "The Ceremony of the Scalps."

It Is New in Size!

ROBERT W. CHAMBERS contributes a beautiful story, "Special Messenger," to the next Sunday Post-Dispatch Magazine. It is of love and war, a woman's wife and a man's honor.

It Is New in Contents!

CHARLES DANA GIBSON, America's greatest illustrator, adds a striking example of his art, "Asking the Old Folks" to the contents of the next Sunday Post-Dispatch Magazine. It is full of humor and worthy of preservation among your treasures.

It Is Different!

JAMES B. CONNOLY, who writes great stories of the sea, has written "The Cruise of the Flying Hind"—a tale of smuggling and rough life on the Newfoundland Banks—for the next Sunday Post-Dispatch Magazine.

It Is Novel!

"HIS First Visit Home After a Year in the City," which will be one of the next Sunday Post-Dispatch Magazine full-page pictures, is by A. B. Frost, and is an excellent example of this inimitable artist's best style. In addition to the features here enumerated, the New Sunday Post-Dispatch Magazine will contain next Sunday life stories of out-of-the-ordinary people, Things-You-Ought-to-Know and remarkable discoveries in Science.

The New Sunday Post-Dispatch Magazine Out Next Sunday

POSTMASTER AND CONSTABLE KILLED IN STREET DUEL

Shooting at Farris, Ok., Result of Two-Year Feud, Causing Each to Carry Pistol.

By Associated Press.
ANTLERS, Ok., Sept. 9.—C. B. Taylor, Postmaster at Farris, and Bert Stevens, a Constable, are dead as the result of a pistol duel on the streets of Farris last night.

Two years ago two men went to Taylor's home and after calling him out attacked him and inflicted injuries which kept him under a physician's

care three months. Taylor accused Stevens of being one of his assailants. Since then both men have carried pistols and threatened to shoot each other on sight.

When they met last night both began shooting and each fell fatally wounded from the first shot. They died soon afterward.

WILSON HISTORY WRITTEN

Secretary Daniels Has Intimate Biography Nearly Complete.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 9.—President Wilson's life history, from infancy to almost imperial power, is to be the theme of a book which Secretary Daniels is now writing in the time he is not directing the movements of the floating fortresses of the United States Navy.

The manuscript, it developed today, is nearly completed and will be an intimate biography of the President. Arrangements have been made with an Eastern publishing house to bring out the book.

Stove, Range and Furnace Repairs

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THERE ARE

\$22.50 Belted Bedford Cord Suits
\$29.50 Smart Cutaway Diagonals
\$35 Swagger Fancy Trimmed Backs
\$25 Satin-Trimmed Wool Poplins
\$27.50 Two-Toned Whicord
\$25.00 Fine Serges and Worsted
\$19.95 Checks and Hairline Stripes
\$35.00 Novelty Imported Mixtures

In fact, every desirable cloth, and in equally desirable colors, light and dark tans, grays, Copenhagen, etc., and the staple navy, brown and black. Tailored and fancy models, embracing every late Spring and Summer Suit that sold formerly up to \$35.00. All go in this sale, without reserve or restriction, for

\$9.87

\$5.95 for Silk-Lined Suits Formerly Selling at **\$12.50** and **\$15.00**

Ideal Suits for Early Fall Wear.

Materials are hard-finished blue serges, gray and tan fancy mixtures, checks and illuminated stripes. Smart-tailored styles, semi-cutaway and straight front models. Tucked and girdle top skirts. Sizes for juniors and misses, 14 to 18, and women, 34 to 42 bust. Choice, **\$5.95**.

Clearing Silk and Serge Dresses

\$6.75 to **\$10.00** Silk Dresses

We have 300 to close at this price, suitable for early Fall wear, in checks and stripes; also serges in blue and black, with fancy collars and cuffs. **\$4.95**

\$15 to \$19.95 Silk and Serge Dresses

Silks come in blue and white, brown and white and lavender and white stripes. Serges in navy, brown and black, with lace collar and cuffs. **\$7.95**

All sizes.

\$5.00

Close-Out of Coats
About 65 Coats that formerly sold up to \$16.50; serges, mixtures, mohairs; three-quarter and full length; reduced for final clear away to

THOS. W. GARLAND

Raincoats and Capes

We have a few Juniors' and Misses' Raincoats, and a few Children's (6 to 14 years) Rain Capes that were \$1.00, \$1.50 and \$2.00; all marked for final "ridance". **50c**

All sizes.

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MAN JAILED ON WIFE'S CHARGE FREED BY POLICE

Brinkman and their son, Jerome, have returned from a three weeks' motor trip through the East. They visited Atlantic City, Asbury Park and New York.

Advertise your lost article through Post-Dispatch Wants and FIND it Sunday the best day of all.

CHICAGO, Sept. 9.—A. Burt Muir, an expert accountant, who spent from Saturday until yesterday in a cell while

detectives investigated charges brought by his wife, was released today upon signing a peace bond. Muir declared his wife's jealousy caused his arrest and that her stories which he called hysterical, prevented his getting bonds.

Muir was arrested Saturday on a charge of disorderly conduct. Later his

wife charged that he was insane, and Muir was examined as to his sanity. Physicians found him sane.

Mrs. Muir told Police Captain Michael that Muir had confided to her that he had killed his first wife, but detectives assured themselves that there was no truth in the assertion.

PIANO SALE

PRICES DROP TO THE BOTTOM THIS WEEK AS ALL THESE FINE PIANOS AND PLAYER-PIANOS REMAINING ON OUR FLOORS MUST BE SOLD AT ONCE.

Such a rush of piano buyers has resulted from our previous announcement of this GREAT CONCENTRATION PIANO SALE that we have decided to take immediate advantage of the opportunity to dispose of the entire remaining stock of Pianos and Player-Pianos at once by making even greater reductions in prices and further concessions in terms and conditions. Our Managers originally estimated it would take about 8 or 10 weeks to close out this entire \$50,000 WHOLESALE STOCK OF PIANOS AND PLAYER-PIANOS, but if buyers keep coming as they have since the sale started, the entire stock will be exhausted in a very few days.

SUCH (USD) PIANO AND PLAYER-PIANO BARGAINS WILL NEVER BE OFFERED AGAIN DON'T LET THIS OPPORTUNITY PASS. TAKE ADVANTAGE OF THIS GREAT SALE AT ONCE!

\$200 MERKEL— Ebony	\$20	\$350 KURTZMAN— Ebony	\$37	\$450 NEWMAN— Ebony	\$65	\$450 KIMBALL— Mahogany
250 BAHNSEN— Ebony	22	350 GABLER— Ebony	40	450 BRAHMS— Ebony	68	500 CHERKIERING— Walnut
250 STELLER— Ebony	23	375 JESSE FRENCH— Ebony	45	450 BAUER— Walnut	70	550 STEINWAY— Ebony
250 VAUPEL— Ebony	25	375 WHEELOCK— Ebony	48	475 LINDEMANN— Oak	75	400 KINDELL— New Mah.
275 COX— Ebony	27	375 SCHUMANN— Ebony	50	500 EVERETT— Ebony	78	450 UNDERWOOD— New Mah.
275 WAGNER— Oak	30	400 BALDWIN— Ebony	55	450 FISCHER— Oak	90	450 KERMODE— New Mah.
300 NEW ENGLAND— Ebony	35	425 BRADBURY— Ebony	60	450 VOSE— Mahogany	93	500 GILBERT— New Mah.

PLAYER-PIANOS—\$550 AUTO-PLAYER—\$235 \$600 KENMORE—**Mahogany** \$295 \$750 UNDERWOOD—**New Mah.** \$345

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Men's Slippers \$1.75 Value in Everett, Opera or Nullifier styles—black or tan—hand turned soles—choice at

\$1.39

Bath Slippers 50¢ Values for men and women—of best Turkish Toweling—with or without backs—all sizes at

23c

Her Neighbor's Advice

"I was hurt in an accident," says Mrs. A. C. Lease, of Tribune, Kansas, "and suffered from an ailment peculiar to women. I had sore spots all over, and they said I had nervous prostration. I spent over \$100 in doctoring, but I was not helped. I could not sleep or eat—could not raise my head from the pillow. One of our neighbors recommended CARDUI, and my husband went 8 miles through a blizzard to get it. CARDUI saved my life, for I was soon able to get up, and could sleep all right. Now I am getting along fine, and do not suffer any more. I am a friend to CARDUI and recommend it to all."

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There is a pleasant surprise in store for you when you come to make an inspection of our line of

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NO matter how high your expectations are, they will be more than realized after you see the garments. That such splendid styles and superior qualities in tailor-made suits can be produced to sell for such a very moderate price, is beyond the conception of anyone.



One of the \$19.13 Suits

THE only reason we are able to provide these unusual values is because the manufacturers have made great concessions, and by sacrificing a portion of our own profits, we are able to bring the standard of style and quality up to a point that you will only find in tailored Suits costing a great deal more.

NOT a single detail of the manufacture of these garments is overlooked. We go so far as to stipulate the character of the findings to be used, and insist that the interlinings be of excellent canvas and haircloth, in order to insure the garments retaining their shape. You get value that you cannot appreciate until after you have worn the suits throughout the season.

At present, there are more than thirty clever styles, one of which is here illustrated. Each model possesses an unusual degree of style and is distinctive in character.

YOU may choose from excellent broadcloths, cheviots, diagonals, Bedfords, sponge, poplins, mixtures, novelty cloths and corduroys. In a word, every individual requirement can be met.

In justice to yourself we urge you not to buy a tailor-made Suit for Fall without seeing our \$19.13 line.

The New Soft, Erect Pile Silk Velvet Hats

THE new soft, erect pile Silk Velvet Hats have taken New York by storm, and they will be quite the vogue in St. Louis for this Fall. We are showing a most comprehensive line and offer exceptional values at \$2.95, \$2.45 and \$1.95.

We illustrate here one of the many excellent styles—very jaunty and dressy hats—of fine quality—at these popular prices.

**A Sweeping Clean Up!!**

Of our stock of Men's and Young Men's Clothing is now being made—act now, join the enthusiastic crowds who are attending this sale and share in this opportunity to buy fine clothes at the lowest prices you ever heard of. Be sure to come Wednesday.

\$20, \$22.50 and \$25 \$8.75
SUITS FOR MEN AND YOUNG MEN

Choose from the greatest assemblage of high-grade garments that has ever been offered at this unparalleled low price. The productions of the foremost tailoring establishments of America—pure wool fabrics—a great variety of patterns—suitable for early Fall wear, as the biggest portion of them are medium and dark patterns and medium weight—Sweeping Clean Up Price.

A CLEAN SWEEP OF PANTS

This is your chance to match up those good coats and have a fine suit for very little money. The greatest array of splendid trousers ever shown in St. Louis—every imaginable shade and pattern—being swept out at irresistible prices.

PANTS for Men and Young Men, \$1.44 **PANTS for Men and Young Men, \$2.44**
worth to \$4 a pair;
Clean-Sweep Sale
Price

Clean Sweep of
Boys' Suits, 1/2
Price and Less.

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CLOTHING COMPANY
Northwest Corner Eighth and Washington Avenue

worth to \$6 a pair;
Clean-Sweep Sale
Price

DEMOCRATS BRING IN BILL AS REMEDY OF CURRENCY EVILS

Measure, Which Would "Correct Long-Standing" Defects, Is Reported to House.

By Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, Sept. 9.—The administration currency reform bill, as approved by the Democratic caucus, was reported to the House today from the Committee on Banking and Currency by Chairman Glass. A voluminous report, including a lengthy technical discussion of the theory of the bill, accompanied the measure, setting forth the views of the Democrats on the committee.

Representative Hays of California presented a report from the Republicans criticizing the measure and proposing various amendments.

The majority declared that the bill is intended to bring about the necessary changes in the present banking and currency system of the United States and to correct long-standing evils that have had slow and deceptively growth. It is aimed at the rectification of the essential defects of the present system, although it does not seek to make all the innovations that might, from an ideal standpoint, be deemed desirable.

Based on Fundamental Principles. Reviewing the arguments against the so-called Aldrich plan outlined by the National Monetary Commission and against all central bank plans suggested, the report said:

"After looking over the whole ground and after examining the various suggestions for legislation, the Committee on Banking and Currency is firmly of the opinion that any effective legislation on banking must include the following fundamental elements which it considers indispensable in any measure likely to prove satisfactory to the country:

"Creation of a joint mechanism for the extension of credit which banks which possess sound assets and which desire to liquidate them for the purpose of meeting legitimate commercial, agricultural and industrial demands on the part of their clientele.

"Ultimate retirement of the present bond-secured currency, with suitable provision for the fulfillment of Government obligations to bondholders, coupled with the creation of a satisfactory flexible currency to take its place.

"Provisions for better extension of American banking facilities in foreign countries, to the end that our trade abroad may be enlarged and that American business men in foreign countries may obtain the accommodations they require in the conduct of their operation.

"Beyond the cardinal and simple provisions, the committee has not deemed it wise at this time to make any recommendations, save that in a few particular cases, it has suggested the amendment of existing provisions in the National Bank Act, with a view to strengthening that measure at points where experience has shown the necessity of alteration."

Great Reserve of Funds. Crediting the present financial system with chief responsibility for the various panics of the past half century, the report sets forth, under the proposed law, the Federal reserve banks to be created under the bill would provide available at least \$550,000,000 of reserves in cash.

"This," said the report, "would create a reservoir of liquid funds far surpassing anything of similar kind ever available in this country heretofore. It would compare favorably with the resources possessed by Government banking institutions abroad."

The committee reviewed the bill section by section setting forth a great length the probable operation and results of the law.

In their minority report on the bill, the Republicans on the committee pointed out what they held to be the weaknesses of the measure. They said they found the Democrats of the committee so bound by their caucus action that they could not consider amendments to the bill, which, if adopted would have eliminated its unsound and questionable provisions."

Potential Advantage Feared.

They suggested that the provisions compelling national banks to subscribe for the capital stock of the Federal reserve banks on pain of forfeiture of their charters was of doubtful constitutionality and wholly unnecessary and impractical.

If the plan of the bill is a good one, they said, the banks would gladly participate; if not, should the banks refuse to enter the system, "all business would be disastrously affected."

The Republicans declared that the provision making the new Federal reserve notes "obligations of the United States" practically creates a central bank.

They urged that the powers of the Federal reserve board were too great and that "there is great danger, as the bill is now drawn, that the banking business of the country may be used for partisan political advantage."

The Progressives' views of the currency question were set forth in a report on the Glass bill filed several days ago by Representative Lindbergh of Minnesota, the Progressive member of the committee.

To be placed in touch with individuals and families who will be glad to pay a reasonable price for your wants, and to keep your vacancies listed in the Post-Dispatch Want Columns—the big boarders' directory of St. Louis.

General Rodriguez and 4 Fools lowers on Dutch Island.

WILLEMSTAD, Curacao, Sept. 9.—General Ascension Rodriguez, a participant of ex-President Castro of Venezuela, is a fugitive with four followers at Buen Ayer, a Dutch island off the Venezuelan coast.

Rodriguez headed the recent revolutionary movement against Gomez in the Oriente district.

Two Boys Are Drowned.
PEORIA, Ill., Sept. 9.—Max Brand, aged 11 years, and Morris Brand, aged 9 years, were drowned when their boat

capsized at the mouth of Farm Creek in the Illinois River. Seven persons have been drowned at this particular spot within the last few weeks.

Mrs. Sage Given \$74,000 on Birthday.
SYRACUSE, N. Y., Sept. 9.—As a birthday gift Mrs. Russell Sage today distributed \$74,000 among institutions in Syracuse, her girlhood home. Syracuse University received the largest donation—\$34,000. Mrs. Sage's gifts to Syracuse University aggregate \$270,000.

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509 Washington Av., Near Broadway

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Our Remarkable Fall Opening Sale

Has met with instantaneous success—and will continue tomorrow with the addition of a new line of \$24.75 Suits at \$18.75—and scores of other equally extraordinary values

We have planned to make this sale the most talked-about event of the season and we are certainly succeeding—seldom, indeed, have you been offered new, clean, high-class apparel at this time of the year at the prices we are naming—for weeks we have been preparing for this sale—searching the markets for its choicest offerings—securing the finest sample lines—insisting on special concessions from those makers with whom we do an enormous business—and now we are demonstrating to you the wonderful advantages which this great Specialty Store offers to its patrons. Whether you are ready to buy or not, we urge you to investigate these values.



Wednesday—we place on sale a new line of BEAUTIFUL NEW FALL SUITS, \$18.75

Suits that have no equal elsewhere under \$24.75

HIGH-CLASS Fall creations in a select array of new weaves and patterns—some of the most charming models—made by one of the most famous specialists in the East—insisted on special concessions from those makers with whom we do an enormous business—and now we are demonstrating to you the wonderful advantages which this great Specialty Store offers to its patrons. Whether you are ready to buy or not, we urge you to investigate these values.

We continue our remarkable offering of—
High-Class Silk-Lined Suits, \$24.75

All specially priced and on sale tomorrow at—

TWO of the charming styles are shown in the illustration, and there are many other models equally as pleasant—the coats in novelty wools, fancy stripes, new weaves, chevrons, diagonal chevrons, etc.—coats in the new cutaway styles—gracefully draped skirts—all richly silk lined—tailored as only the best makers know how to produce and wonderful values, indeed, at this special price of \$24.75.

Ural Lamb and Persianna Lamb Coats

Regular \$29.75 values—
special for Wednesday

\$18.75

THESE Coats will be the ultra-fashionable garments for Fall and Winter wear—we secured this special lot at a decided concession and in addition we have cut our own profits to the lowest point to make the value unusually attractive—offering you at \$18.75 the same styles and qualities that regularly would cost you \$29.75.



Street Dresses and
Afternoon Frocks

Are on display in magnificent assortments—at \$18.95, \$19.75, \$24.75 and \$35.00—all unequalled values at the prices named.

Elaborate Evening Gowns.

exact reproductions of fine imported models, and on sale at one-third to one-half the cost of the originals—prices range from \$50.00, \$65.00, \$75.00, \$100.00.

Coats and Wraps

Of finest quality—suitable for every purpose and for every occasion—at \$35.00, \$40.00 and \$50.00.

\$1.25

Sale of New Fall Sample Coats

Actual \$19.75 qualities—special at

\$11.50

THIS offering comprises the newest and prettiest Fall and Winter Coats—in fancy and striped weaves, two-tone boucle, diagonal, double face and cut chinchillas, large block checks, wool Bedfords and many new fancy checked fabrics—in the latest 45, 48-inch, as well as 3/4 and 7/8 lengths—many are beautifully fur-trimmed—others in belted, strap trimmed and fancy plush trimmed designs—sample coats that were intended to retail at \$19.75—tomorrow at.....

**Silk
Petticoats**

200 beautifully bordered SILK PETTICOATS and a limited quantity in messalines—that sold up to \$3.50—as long as they last, at **\$1.75**

FALL STYLE Women's Boots

We show here one of the latest creations in women's footwear for fall—a patent colt button boot with cloth top, hand-turned Sole, plain toe. French last and Spanish Louis heel—the price

Also made in mat kid with tip at \$5.



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With Jake as Manager, the Browns Should Be Able to Stahl Their Way Along

MR. SHORT SPORT: Aside from these few points he's well posted on automobiles

By Jean Knott



HEDGES DENIES RUMOR STAHL IS TO BOSS BROWNS

"Absolutely No Truth in Such Report," Declares Local A. L. Owner.

M'ALEER'S SCALP SOUGHT

If Stahl Fails to Land Here, Boston Would Welcome Him, Dispatch Hints.

By W. J. O'Connor.

The report emanating from Chicago Tuesday that Ban Johnson, president of the American League, is trying to induce Owner Hedges of the Browns to appoint Jake Stahl, ex-manager of the world's champion Red Sox, Stoval's successor as leader of the Browns is vehemently denied by Hedges.

"Positively no truth in that rumor," declared Hedges to the Post-Dispatch. "This summer, while I was traveling with the Browns in the East, I ran down to a little summer resort and stopped for two days at a hotel that also housed Jake Stahl. However, I never spoke to him; I didn't have occasion to then and have not had the opportunity since."

"In due time I will announce the Brown's manager and HE WON'T BE STAHL."

The story from Chicago says that Stahl is after stock in the Browns. It also hints that Stahl may succeed Jimmy McAleer as president of the Boston Club, unless McAleer makes peace with the high mugs of the league. Here is the substance of the dispatch in question.

Johnson Would Favor Stahl.

CHICAGO, Sept. 9.—Jake Stahl, who was deposed as manager of the Red Sox in mid-season and announced he was through with the game forever, may yet be one of the shining lights in the managerial class. Ban Johnson has been trying to induce Col. Robert E. Hedges of the St. Louis Browns to take on the former Boston leader and make him the head of the Browns.

The visit of the League head to St. Louis last week is explained by the rumor, as Johnson is very kindly disposed toward Stahl, and always has been since he broke into the game as a college star many years ago. There is a hitch in the deal, however, because Stahl is said to want a share of the club's stock, and Hedges is unwilling to separate himself from the same.

Branch Rickey, the present secretary of the Browns, is the man who was expected to land the job of manager, but he also wants a share of the stock.

Hedges and Johnson have not been any too friendly for several seasons and it is doubtful if the owner of the Browns would care to go out of his way to please the League executive.

May Succeed McAleer.

Stahl is still interested in the Boston club, for he was one of the stockholders all of the time he was acting as manager. There is a chance that Stahl will be connected with the Boston club in an executive capacity. Rumors have been coming thick and fast of late that the majority stockholders want McAleer to resign at the end of the year. The report at the time Stahl was deposed was that Jake was trying to round up the stockholders to oust McAleer and this was the reason he was deposed. There is a belief Stahl will be able to get more votes at the annual meeting of the Boston club than McAleer.

HEINE PEITZ TO COACH KANSAS CITY'S PITCHERS

Dispatches from Kansas City state that Peitz, released by the Cardinals to Kansas City Monday, will not manage the New City club, but has been signed to coach the young pitchers of the club.

Harvard Oarsmen Disgusted With Our Rowing Manners Century Stars May Quit

"Never, Anywhere I Have Competed, Have I Encountered Such Unsportsmanlike Opponents," Declares R. M. Nelson, After Sunday's Race on River.

SPORT SALAD

by E.C. DAVIS.

STOVAL'S ADDRESS TO THE BROWNSIES.

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Call me 'Chief,' and ye do well to call him chief who for six long months hath stood with his back to the cellar door, fighting off the ferocious attacks of the terrible Tiger, the overpowering onslaughts of the ponderous white elephant and repulsing the rapacious raids of the Red Sox, White Sox and sockless Joe Jackson.

"And today I stand before ye the disgraced leader of a tail-end tribe with the tarnished tinware tied to the tail of my trailing toga. 'Tis well.

"Yet I was not always thus. On the topmost edge of our country lies the fair city of Cleveland, sixth city, lapped by the limped waters of Lake Erie where I led the famous Napo to victory.

"I protest of the referee's decision by the Century Boat Club is contemplated on the following grounds:

(1) That the race was rowed after six o'clock, against the articles of agreement, which say the race must be rowed between 3 and 6 p. m.

(2) That the re-row was not according to the articles, in that no locked start was used.

(3) That the Mound City crew floated outside the sike boat.

(4) That the Mound City No. 1 crew was out of position throughout, having changed places with Mound City No. 2 crew, which drew a better "water."

To make sure of winning the race and of keeping the same financial outlook for 1914, it is charged by the Century crew, by William Burford of the Harvard Rowing Club, that when the Mound City shifted its No. 1 crew to the position drawn by Mound City's No. 2, in order to give their crew the fastest water.

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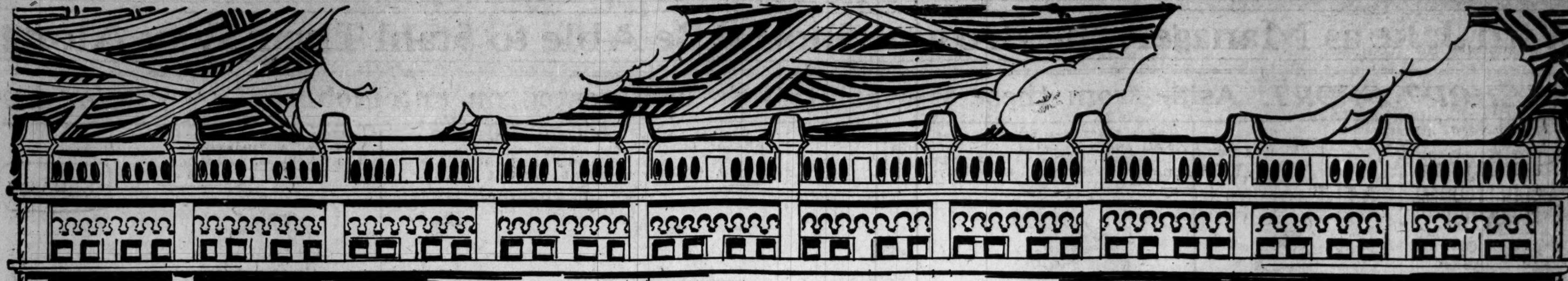
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Thousands of St. Louisans Have Approved This Great Public Service Institution; Its Wonderful New Features & Marvelous Stocks of Goods

THE great public is now, for the first time, exploring the depths of this, the world's largest, most complete & practical mercantile building, & marveling at its great proportions. As an architectural achievement, it has been heralded abroad by the commercial world for some time, but the people are just now seeing the wonders which lie within this massive white monument erected as a tribute to the GROWING INDUSTRY & COMMERCE OF ST. LOUIS & THE WEST, and which stands as a symbol for the years of PROGRESSIVE RETAILING, FAIR DEALING & EARNEST ENDEAVOR of this great mercantile institution.

Unqualified approval is being enthusiastically given to the great store which master minds have conceived & which has now been brought to fruition for the greater service of the community & for the betterment of mankind. The thousands have been intensely interested in the newest appliances & features which have been installed & which conduce to simplifying, expediting & making more comfortable shopping, & which make this the most complete & practical store in the world.

The three million dollar stock of new & dependable merchandise with which the counters & shelves are filled represent the proudest achievement of most every known craft. In the amazing collection of wonderful wares gathered by special emissaries & through our merchandising connections from the marts of the world, the industries of many strange peoples are represented. The assembling of these greatly diversified wares have taken our representatives to the remotest parts of the world. For weeks trans-Atlantic & trans-Pacific steamers as well as vessels from the South

Seas, docking at American ports, have had in their cargoes much for this store.

The vast merchandising connections which this store enjoys & the increased outlet which will come as a natural result of this store's greater preparedness has brought with it notable buying advantages which are in turn presented to the people in the great stocks now assembled for approval. Though, as previously announced,

*The Formal Opening & Style Revue
Will Occur From Sept. 15th to 20th*

the management extends a cordial invitation to all people of St. Louis & environs to visit the store now & to see the many wondrous features which make it the most complete & in many ways most remarkable retailing institution in the world.

For Wednesday every section throughout the store has planned some extraordinary special values that those who come to view may have the opportunity of combining pleasure & profit, if they so choose.

That Those Who Have Not Yet Visited the Store, May Know Something About the Arrangement We Print Below

A Directory of the Store by Floors & Departments

While every department is easy of access & each section is adequately patrolled by floor managers, yet in order to acquaint the general public with the location of various departments we give a summarized directory of departments for the convenience of the shopping public.

Main Floor

Silks. Dress Goods. Ribbons. Neckwear. Dress Trimmings. Gloves. Umbrellas. Veilings. Notions. Ware Goods. Lace & Embroideries. Patterns. Handkerchiefs. Hosiery. Silverware. Jewelry. Leather Goods. Knit Underwear.

Main Floor Gallery

Beauty Parlors. Hair Goods Dept. Children's Barber Shop. Public Service Depts. Superintendent. Basement Housefurnishings. Toys. Chinaware. Cut Glass. Electrical Goods.

Basement

Men's Furnishings. Men's Hats. Drug Sundries. Soda Fountain. Bakery.

Basement Gallery

Underpriced Depts. of Millinery. Suits & Coats. Dresses. Domestic. White Goods. Wash Goods. Hosiery & Underwear. Waists & Petticoats. Shoes.

Second Floor

Men's Clothing. Uniforms.

Working Clothes.

Boys' Clothing. Boys' Shoes. Men's, Women's & Children's Shoes. Men's Waiting Room.

Third Floor

Women's Coats & Suits. Women's Dresses. Women's Costumes. Children's Wear. Misses' & Juniors' Wear. Waists & Skirts. Women's Petticoats. Corsets. Mustin Underwear. Kimenos & House Dresses.

Infants' Wear.

Millinery.

Fourth Floor

Curtains & Draperies. Furniture. Carpets & Rugs.

Fifth Floor

Sewing Machines. Wall Papers. Trunks & Bags. Linens. Art Needlework. Pictures. Circulating Library. Alteration Room. Reception Room.

Sixth Floor

Restaurant. Fur Vault. Talking Machines. Piano. Employees' Restaurant. Employees' Gymnasium. Employees' Club Rooms. Emergency Hospital.

Seventh Floor

Temporary Stock Rooms.

Dine in the Tea Room

Here one may enjoy a sumptuous dinner or a simple repast, amid restful surroundings, high above and away from the noise of the street. The "Dutch Room" is especially popular with the men.

Famous and Barr Co.

ENTIRE BLOCK: OLIVE, LOCUST, SIXTH AND SEVENTH STS.

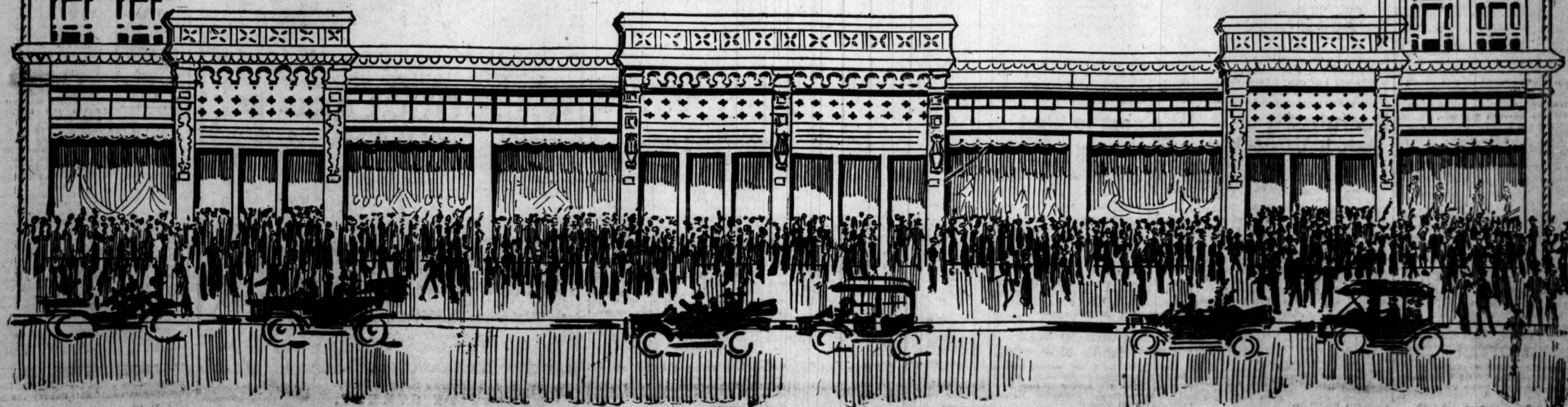
Largest Distributors of Merchandise at Retail in Missouri or the West.

We Give, Reward and Guarantee EAGLE STAMPS.

Children's Barber Shop

The most complete of its kind West of New York. Courteous, efficient operators are here to give scientific treatment of the children's scalps or to cut their hair in the prevailing mode.

Main Floor Gallery.



56,696 Post-Dispatch
August Want Ads
Gain Over August 1912..... 3514

5877 more than the TWO
nearest competitors combined
St. Louis' ONE BIG Result Medium.

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ST. LOUIS, TUESDAY EVENING, SEPTEMBER 9, 1913.—PART TWO.

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MAID ACCUSED OF JEWEL THEFTS IN CAMPBELL HOME

New York Papers Print That
Much Stolen Property Was
Taken From Her in Hospital.

VALET GREW SUSPICIOUS

St. Louisan Said to Have Agreed
Not to Prosecute; Girl Sent
Back to France.

By Leased Wire From the New York
Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Sept. 9.—The New York papers this morning printed a remarkable story of the theft and the recovery of jewelry valued at more than \$6000, the property of James Campbell, St. Louis and New York multimillionaire, and of costly articles of adornment belonging to his daughter, Miss Lois Campbell, a debutante of last season. The Campbell country place at Greenwich, Conn., on the shore of Long Island Sound, is the scene of the story, which is said to have come from friends of the financier. Campbell, whose office as president of the North American Co. is at 30 Broad street, has declined to talk about the matter.

Last October, it is related, Campbell began to miss articles of personal jewelry. These articles continued to disappear, until Campbell had lost a black diamond stud, valued at \$300; three pairs of diamond link cuff buttons, \$1000 a pair; and a set of pearl waistcoat buttons, \$1000. Miss Campbell also missed money, lace and diamond jew-

elry.

Valet Grows Suspicious.

In the Campbell home there were two servants who were particularly privileged. These were John Smith, Campbell's valet for 18 years, and Marie Pennelli, an Italian girl with French training, who had entered the household in April, 1912, as Mrs. Campbell's maid.

The girl, who had been in America three months at the time when she became a member of the Campbell household, was recommended to the family by the Rev. Father Moreto and the Sisters of St. Rafael's Society, who had confidence in her worthiness. She proved so apt in her duties that Mrs. Campbell declared her a jewel.

Smith was not so enthusiastic about the Italian-French maid, but it was not his duty to comment on the family's choice. So he merely watched Marie, until the complaints of lost jewelry began to be made.

He saw nothing which he felt would justify him in accusing the girl. But when, two weeks ago, Marie declared she was ill, and when Miss Campbell took her from the Greenwich home to Roosevelt Hospital, in this city, the valet first manifested his suspicions to the family.

He persuaded his employer to have the girl's three trunks opened. In the trunks were found Irish point lace, gold and silver ornaments and other valuables lost by the Campbells, and aggregating \$1500 in value.

The search was then extended to the hospital, and a small hand bag, which the maid had insisted on keeping under her pillow, was taken and opened. It contained Campbell's missing jewelry, part of a diamond chain which had belonged to Miss Campbell, a costly canary diamond brooch and three diamond bracelets, also Miss Campbell's property.

Money in Linings of Clothing.

In the lining of the maid's clothing were found \$550 and bank books showing deposits of \$650. After this, the girl made a confession, and the Campbells yielded to her entreaties and consented not to prosecute her.

Through the sisterhood which had at first befriended her, the girl's case was made known to the Italian Immigration Society, and she was taken back to Paris on the steamer Chicago, which sailed Aug. 30. To make sure of her departure, she was locked in her stateroom until the ship was well down the bay. The immigration authorities are depended on to see that she does not return to the United States.

REPUBLICAN ELECTED TO CONGRESS IN MAINE

He Wins in Special Election by
553 Over Democrat Who Polls
Go'n Off-Year Vote.

PORTLAND, Me., Sept. 9.—John A. Peters, Republican of Ellsworth, was chosen to fill the vacant seat in the Third Congressional District by a plurality of 533 over Mayor William A. Pattangall, Democrat, of Waterville, with Edward Lawrence of Lubec, a poor third in the race. The total vote was regarded as a heavy one for an off year.

The returns in this special election gave: Peters, 15,16; Pattangall, 14,553; Lawrence, 547. The vote for President in November was Wilson, 14,602; Roosevelt, 13,336; Taft, 7,155.

**Chairman Doremus Thinks Maine
Result Is Democratic Gain.**

WASHINGTON, Sept. 9.—Representative Doremus of Michigan, chairman of the Democratic Congressional Campaign Committee, was an early White House caller today and analyzed the results of the Maine election yesterday as a distinct Democratic gain. Doremus pointed out that Pattangall, the Democratic candidate, polled a greater vote than did President Wilson, in the same district last fall.

"In a district that always has been Republican," he said, "having elected a Democrat only once since the Civil War, the results show that the Democrats more than held their own."

Major and I

By W. H. James.

Y eye!
Who's always nigh
To grab the pie?

Major and I;
We heave a sigh
When it passes by;
We cry
For pie,
Major and I.
With motives high,
And that's no lie,
We try
To spy
Each juicy pie;
Who's fly?
Why,
Major and I;
We sit on high
And scan the sky;
We hope to die
If any pie
Floating by,
Big pie,
Little pie,
Can miss our eye;
One pie
Flew too high
And passed us by;
That's why
We sigh
And cry;
Who? Why,
Major and I.



WIFE AND EXPERT DANCER, GUEST IN HOME, MISSING

Mrs. Tillie Turngren, fond of Turkey Trotting, takes baby With Her.

That Mrs. Tillie Turngren was trapped by the twinkling, tango tripping toes of Harry Sievers, a guest and prospective boarder in her home, 4751 Louisiana avenue, is the belief of her husband, Julius Turngren, who has asked the police to look for his wife and Sievers.

Both were gone when Turngren went home from work Friday night. He sought them for four days before asking police aid. Mrs. Turngren took with her their 22-months-old daughter, Evelyn.

Wife Fond of Dancing.

Mrs. Turngren is 22 years old and fond of dancing. Her husband, who is a glassblower, 25 years old, thinks the dance a frivolous pastime. Sievers, who is 30, a steel worker, is an expert tango dancer, two-stepper and waltzer.

For this reason, Turngren believes that when Sievers waited in at the door love turkey-trotted out at the window.

Turngren met Sievers about two weeks ago and learned that he was looking for a boarding place. He told Sievers he and his wife were planning to move to a larger house and soon would have room for a boarder. Meanwhile, last Tuesday he took Sievers to his home as a guest. He was to live there, but pay no board until the Turngrens moved.

Turngren told the police his wife was so fond of dancing that she frequently went to dance halls alone. He objected to this and she replied that she wished

she had married a man who was fond of dancing.

The husband recalled that last Tuesday night Sievers told Mrs. Turngren that he was fond of dancing. After that his wife seemed changed, he said, and was more cordial to Sievers.

The Turngrens were to have moved Friday. When he arrived home Turngren expected to see the last van pulling away.

His wife and Sievers and the baby were gone, but the furniture was still there.

Turngren learned that late Friday his wife and a man whose description answered that of Sievers went to the home of Mrs. Turngren's sister, Mrs. Carrie Glaser of 2311 Keokuk street. The man carried a suitcase. Mrs. Turngren got into the house and came out carrying another suitcase.

She told neighbors she and her husband were about to leave town. The neighbor who never had seen Turngren thought the man with her was her husband.

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**Two Children Bitten By
Dogs, One on Eyelid**

Fourteen Persons Injured by
Animals the First Two Days
of the Week.

Three persons reported to have been bitten by dogs on Monday brought the following list of persons bitten for the two first days of this week to 14.

Arthur Moore, 21 months old, son of Mrs. Lulu Moore, 2327 Caroline street, when playing in the rear of his home was bitten on the left eyelid by a dog belonging to his mother.

Mildred Fernau, 10 years old, 322A Michigan avenue, was bitten on the left leg by a dog owned by Abemeler. The police served the dog owner with a summons to appear in court.

A stray dog bit Sarkis Webe, 41, 209 South Second street, on the left leg, at Fourth and Market streets.

The automobile was identified later as

RUN DOWN BY AUTO, MAN'S LEG BROKEN; NEGRO DRIVER HELD

Pedestrian Caught Under Truck
and Ankle Is Crushed—Careless Driving Charged.

Ernest L. Williams, 28 years old, a barber of 11 North Ninth street, was run down at 1:15 a. m. Tuesday at Seventh and Locust streets by an automobile truck of the St. Louis Hide and Tallow Co. driven by Clarence L. Shivers, a negro. Williams' left ankle was crushed.

Shivers was arrested on a charge of careless driving.

An automobile driven by Edward F. Martin, 24 years old, chauffeur for Vincent Walker, 2728 Locust street, struck a bread wagon of the McKinney Bread Co. at 4 a. m. at Delmar and Baird avenues. Michael Cody, 915 Walton avenue, driver of the wagon, was thrown out and his head was cut and his left wrist was dislocated.

Murray was arrested on a charge of careless driving. He told the police there were no lights on the wagon and that it was standing in the middle of the street.

A five-passenger touring car occupied by two negroes and two negroes was wrecked at 4:30 a. m., when it plunged into an excavation made by the Illinois Traction system at Twelfth and Hebert streets. The negroes were thrown out, but they limped away before the police arrived.

James O'Connell, a watchman, told the police that the auto approached the excavation at such high speed he was unable to warn them of the danger. Seven red lights had been placed about the hole.

The automobile was identified later as

Want to Buy Anything—
Cameras, Bicycles, Furniture, Clothing, Etc.?—
Seven Months' Count of
Wanted to Buy Want Ads:
Post-Dispatch printed..... 6,641
292 MORE than three of its FOUR
competitors COMBINED.
St. Louis' ONE BIG Want Medium.

the property of Dr. M. J. Hopkins of 3558 Lindell avenue. It was taken from the garage at his home Monday night without his permission. Dr. Hopkins

employs a negro chauffeur who has not been on duty since Sept. 1 when the physician was injured in an auto accident.

FATHER JOHN'S IS A SAFE FAMILY MEDICINE

Because It Contains
No Alcohol or Dan-
gerous Drugs It Is
Fine for the Children.

Cures Colds and Builds
Up the System Because It Is
a Pure and Wholesome Food
That Makes Flesh and
Strength.

When the children have a cold or cough or when they need a tonic, mothers should be careful never to give them anything containing alcohol or dangerous drugs. Because it does not contain these drugs or alcohol in any form, Father John's Medicine is a safe medicine to give the children. Thousands of mothers use it in their homes right along. It has a history of 50 years of success in the treatment of coughs, colds and throat and lung troubles, as well as a tonic and body builder. The ingredients of Father John's Medicine are pure and wholesome food for those who are weak and run down. It is not a patent medicine but a doctor's prescription. Get a bottle today.

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SEE THE POINT HOME FURNISHERS DIGNIFIED CREDIT **Buettner's** SEVENTH AND WASHINGTON

SEE THE POINT HOME FURNISHERS DIGNIFIED CREDIT **Great Bargains in Housefurnishings in Our Basement**

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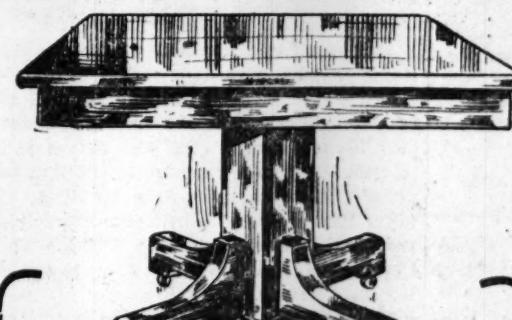
THIS \$100,000 PURCHASE SALE
IS CERTAINLY DRAWING THE CROWDS
EVERYBODY IS TAKING ADVANTAGE OF THESE
ABURDLY LOW PRICES WE'VE PLACED ON
THESE SPLENDID NEW LINES OF
FURNITURE AND FLOOR COVERINGS



CENTER TABLE
(Exactly like cut.)
Royal quartered oak—now
on sale—\$100,000.
Purchase Sale Price **55c**



2-Inch Continuous Post Bed
(Exactly like cut.)
Either in white or Vernis Martin
(brass finish), full size, **\$6.75**
strong and durable; reg-
ular \$15 value; sale price . . .



Pedestal Extension Dining Table
(Exactly like cut.)
Royal quartered golden oak finish—
top 4x4 ins., 7-inch square column, full 6 t. **\$7.85**
extension; sale price . . .



ARM ROCKER
(Exactly like cut.)
solid oak; large, roomy
and comfortable; reg-
ular \$15 value; sale price **\$1.95**

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HOME FURNISHERS DIGNIFIED CREDIT

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SEE THE POINT

Buettner's

SEVENTH AND WASHINGTON

—THE CROWDS INCREASE DAILY AS PEOPLE FIND OUT HOW CHEAPLY WE'VE PRICED THESE 2 COMBINED STOCKS

DON'T
WAIT—

BUY
NOW—

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SAVE
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MONEY

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April 10, 1907. JOSEPH PULITZER.

PERSONAL GUILT IN EAST ST. LOUIS.

Facts in several different series printed by the Post-Dispatch show that a well established system of bribery under which municipal privileges were sold for money existed in the East St. Louis City Council. One ex-Alderman, Joseph Frazee, has confessed his share in these criminal transactions. Persons having official relations to the city have been parties to lucrative city contracts, contrary to explicit law. Inaccurate and defective records present so insufficient a history of city finance as to create a presumption that the confused system of accounting must have been somebody's opportunity for graft.

A responsibility unusual with grand juries meeting in this vicinity rests with the grand jury that will investigate these tangled affairs. In addition to their other things there is the motive with which officers have permitted East St. Louis to become a disgraceful nest of gambling and vice. There must have been graft in this condition. The grand jury's task has intricate details. The shaft of records shows organized resistance to the exposure of wrongdoing. But with courage, patience and energy the jurors can put the guilty in the way of punishment.

Much depends on this inquiry. It is a chance to clean up East St. Louis.

EUHMUSCHUSSER'S BOOSTER.

Citizen Eckhoff complains of Citizen Ruhmusschuss's rooster because it "wakes up the whole neighborhood."

Begging the pardon of the Anti-Noise Society, we applaud the performance and we should appreciate a setting of eggs sired by the stentorian bird.

For the present, Citizen Ruhmusschuss would perform a great public benefit if he would station his rooster in the neighborhood of the City Hall.

SCIENTISTS SEEKING THE WORST.

Camille Flammarion, Maurice Masterlinck, Prof. James Hyslop and a long list of other highly distinguished people are going to hold a "World's Congress of Occult Scientists" in Berlin before long. As they are getting ready it is explained that they are not ordinary magicians, but distinguished scientists engaged in investigating every phenomenon emanating from the invisible.

We are already informed as credibly as we care to be that "gobblins" of some kind are always likely to catch us, if we don't watch out. The latest high power microscopes have done everything possible except make direct connection with the invisible in Hades. If the morbid Messrs. Flammarion and Hyslop do succeed in discovering the very worst possible, will they be satisfied?

As a short cut to this end, the gentlemen might try a little introspection.

STANDARD'S GASOLINE GRAFT.

The official organ of the Automobile Club of America says gasoline will go from 16 to 20 cents a gallon before the end of the year.

In view of the fact, developed in a recent Texas court hearing, that one of the Oil Trust's Texas companies makes a substantial profit producing gasoline and selling it to other Standard marketing companies at 7 cents a gallon, we hope to be pardoned for inquiring whether Standard really needs the extra money.

What does the United States Department of Justice think about it?

POWER BELONGS TO THE PEOPLE.

Federal control of water powers is greatly strengthened by a Supreme Court decision declaring the nation's right to determine the use of streams not only in their navigable portions, but to their very source and in all their reaches.

The Government condemned the property of a power company to enlarge its canal locks in the St. Mary's River, in Michigan. The company sued for compensation, including the value it attached to the use of the falls and current of the river. A lower court awarded the company \$550,000 of the \$450,000 it claimed. The highest court swept aside the award of the lower court, declaring the power company, merely because of its riparian ownership, "had no vested property right the water power inherent in the falls and rapids of the river, and the Government cannot justly be required to pay for an element of value which did not inhere in these parcels of riparian land as upland."

That is a blow planted squarely between the eyes for water power grabbers who have thought to monopolize this gift of nature by acquiring title to land surrounding waterfalls throughout the country. In effect the Court says they can lease the use of water current at reasonable rentals, but cannot acquire ownership of it; and any time the people's government needs to use its water property for other purposes it can kick the grabbers off the premises by condemnation proceedings. In which not one penny will be paid them for what may aptly be designated the "franchise value" of their plants, that is, the privilege of using the nation's running water.

HOW TO GROW WEEDS.

A rational kicker appeals to us every time. Complaint is a miraculous corrective when it is sensible. But the whine of laziness never moves anybody.

Because it is typical of public laziness, with an increasing helpless dependence upon public officials, we invite attention to a complaint recently addressed to us by a group of residents who wanted some weeds cut on a vacant lot in their neighborhood. These good people stated that they had complained in vain to the Board of Health; later to the Police Department; later to the Fire Department; and finally in despair turned to us. Here is our advice:

There is no question of the city's obligation to see to it that weeds are cut on every vacant lot. But—

One thrifty man could have cut these in the time it took the residents to deliberate and formulate a demand to the Board of Health. They could have been cut in the time it took to appeal to the police; in the time it took to address the fire department; in the time it took to write and despatch the letter to us. The children of the vicinity could have cut them with sickles while the grown people were demanding the sickles from various quarters.

But energy went to waste and scythes rusted while the weeds were going to seed, owing to the citizen's disposition to leave everything to the government and do nothing for himself. Next year there will be a thicker and harder crop of weeds than there was this year.

A small group of citizens harvesting their own crop of weeds would furnish a shining instance of civic spirit.

It would be an object lesson to shame a tardy administration.

It would be a small beginning whence greater works might grow. Good citizenship, like charity, begins at home. The same quality that makes a good neighbor extends to the wider affairs of community life. Active interest in his immediate surroundings is what distinguishes the thrifty citizen from the lazy. The man who will not nail down a loose plank in his own front walk will not worry himself about depressing a dangerous grade crossing or completing the approaches to a municipal bridge. The man who will not clean up his own dooryard or cut his own weeds will not trouble himself about cleaning up a city hall or correcting the conditions of squalor that infest a municipality.

"The city ought to do this and that—" "Why doesn't the city do so and so?"—Let's complain to the authorities—are too frequent remarks in the conversation of many citizens. These citizens forget that government is only a number of men—sometimes not overly energetic. But the very best government, the most efficient, honest and willing, is compelled to leave much undone. Only a perfect government composed of perfect men could cut all of the weeds all of the time in addition to performing all of their other works. Our city government is slightly below perfection. Something is wanting to make it ideal.

Because public servants have been hired to assume certain work and certain responsibility is no reason why their masters should fall into a pathetic state of civic helplessness. Too great a dependence on government and too little individual responsibility make for weakness in both government and citizens, shiftless metropolitan character, and an ever-increasing crop of weeds.

WASTING TIME AND MONEY.

The railroad and express lobby now trying to emasculate the parcel post law by having Congress deprive the Postmaster-General of power to increase weights and reduce charges seems to labor under the erroneous impression that the Republicans are still in power at Washington.

GAMBOA'S IRONY.

Observing that Uncle Sam was bringing American refugees out of Mexico in third class transportation, Senor Gamboa, Mexican Foreign Minister, ironically demonstrated his Government's regard for Americans by offering to advance enough relief money to enable them to "journey to their country with the accommodations and conveniences to which they have been accustomed, and even special trains will be placed at their disposal free of charge."

We imagine that brand of humor will be better appreciated by Americans in Mexico than by Americans in Washington. However, he laughs best who laughs last, and the curtain has not yet fallen on the Mexican drama.

THIRD MAINE'S ELECTION.

As a result of the special election in the Third Maine District, a vacancy caused by the death of a Republican member of Congress will be filled by a Republican. The Democratic nominee polled only 139 fewer votes than Mr. Wilson polled last November. The successful Republican polled 7947 more votes than Mr. Taft, but 2115 fewer than Forest Goodwin, the Republican Congressman chosen last year. The vote of the Progressive nominee was 6849 less than Mr. Roosevelt's vote.

The national interest in the special election was based on an assumption that the Progressives might hold a substantial part of the strength shown on the presidential ticket, there being no Progressive candidate for Congress in the district in 1912. The slump in that strength indicates that the retreat from Armageddon begun during diverse state elections last spring still continues and is of formidable proportions.

PUBLIC OWNERSHIP AT WASHINGTON.

Hardly more than five years ago, Representative Robert Cropper's bill for the public ownership of Washington's traction lines would have been regarded as a farcical measure evidencing a curious misapplication of energy. It might have been received with derision. Now it will command respectful, interested attention even from those who look upon its principle as unsound. No one can affirm that it will not be the starting point from which an object lesson will be presented to the country on improved utility policies.

The new attitude at Washington which however imperfectly it represents in action the wishes of the country at times, manages to reflect with promptness and accuracy its shifts in sentiment, is significant to students of municipal problems. Mr. Cropper is the author of Ohio's initiative and referendum law. He was a member of the State's constitutional convention.

tion in 1912. He comes from Cleveland, which has made valuable contributions to the data on municipal questions, and is spoken of as excellent material for the District of Columbia Committee.

The smotherbund will not suppress his bill as easily as it would have suppressed a similar bill in the past. He may make municipal ownership a livelier issue in Washington than in Cleveland, Detroit or San Francisco.

DR. SCHENCK AND MOTHER GOOSE.

Dr. Schenck claims that his method of dieting the Countess of Roxburgh, depriving her of sugar for several months, determined the sex of her baby, which is a boy. By this experiment Dr. Schenck has negatively confirmed the well-known dicta of Mother Goose, namely:

Sugar and spice and all that's nice—

That's what little girls are made of.

Snips and snails and puppy dogs' tails—

That's what little boys are made of.

It is pleasant to discover that Mother Goose knew what she was talking about. Incidentally, will Dr. Schenck inform the world whether "snips and snails and puppy dogs' tails" were included in the non-saccharine diet of his interesting patient?

ST. LOUIS LOOKING FORWARD.

By Frank Putnam.

"My dear," said the young man as his good right arm encircled that which good right arms have always most delighted to encircle, "I am going to kiss you."

"Billy," she replied, "you're a dreamer."

"No, indeed, honey," said Billy. "I'm a prophet."

Prophecy is not always as simple a matter as it was in Billy's case, yet it is not difficult, after studying St. Louis closely for several months, and applying here the test of principles which control city growth throughout the world, to foresee that this city is on the eve of a big forward movement. The deadlock which native sons tell me has held back the town for many years is about to be broken. First off, it is my judgment the bridge bonds are going to carry by more than the necessary two-thirds majority—if the Municipal Assembly doesn't make the terms intolerable to the voters' sense of justice in one way or another; and the next at city hall, it seems to me, ought to be able to derive enough wisdom from the three past beatings given this project to put it before the people in acceptable form.

Following the voting of bridge bonds, probably within 18 months, city bonds will be voted for numerous big public improvements, and special improvement districts created for others. The sewer system's needs, running well above \$5,000,000, may be partly met by bond issue, or it may be possible to carry this item in special benefited districts, assessing the cost against benefited property owners to be paid in three annual installments. During the 10 years last past the sewer equipment of the Harlem and Maline valleys, at one end of the city, and of the Rock Creek and Glaise creek valleys, at the other end, has been enlarged nearly to completion.

The large sewerage tasks to be undertaken next are the creation of additional drainage for the central section of the city, in and on either side of Mill Creek valley, and the solving of drainage for the Des Peres River's watershed. It is estimated equipment of the main sewer in the Mill Creek district must be doubled in order to carry off the heavy rainfall quickly enough to prevent flooding of streets and private property. When only main sewers were laid down most of the streets were not paved. This having since been done, the flow-off of water is so much more rapid that sewers originally built to drain the watershed are no longer able to do it efficiently. The Mayor and the Board of Public Improvements have worked out a plan for a special sewer district with some 100,000 inhabitants to pay the \$2,000,000 estimated cost of this work by special assessments.

The Des Peres watershed problem is more complicated. Only one-third of the watershed is within the city limits. Two-thirds, roughly estimated, lies out in the county. Wanting a metropolitan district authority, such as controls improvements of this kind in Boston and Suffolk County, Mass., to apportion the cost of joint undertakings between city and county, St. Louis must ask the Legislature for a special act creating a joint city and county drainage improvement district. Mr. Moreno, sewer commissioner, is undecided as to whether to work out a plan of this kind. It ought to be possible to find funds for this big sewer undertaking by the special assessment method, leaving the city's bond-issuing margin unbroken. The bond-issuing margin is the only one needed to be so obtained.

More playgrounds will be opened and equipped; more public bathing pools built in the larger parks. The city water service will be extended. The proposed traffic parkway along Market street from Twelfth to Grand will be provided for, either by bond issue, or, more wisely if it be possible, by the creation of a special improvement district. If such a district for the traffic parkway cannot be created under the existing charter, better let the parkway plan rest until the new charter shall be adopted, placing parks on a par with streets and sewers in this respect. The first come up the spout; but all the same, if you don't mind, why, I'll just stick about."

"How now?" St. Peter cried aloud. And never drew a breath. While angels hovering about looked over Heaven's rim; and to the doorway of his cave came Pluto dark and grim.

"I pray you spare me," Midas said. "The torture of your mirth; in good time you shall weigh me; and shall know me for my worth; I only wait the coming of Another from the earth."

St. Peter drew so near to him that their four eyes were met. "I am afraid," he said, "that I don't understand you yet."

"What is it you are driving at, O Midas Moneyget?"

"To make it plain," dead Midas said. "I was a fellow who made money as I could, and got into a scrape or two; but I had a lawyer good enough to ascertain its fate."

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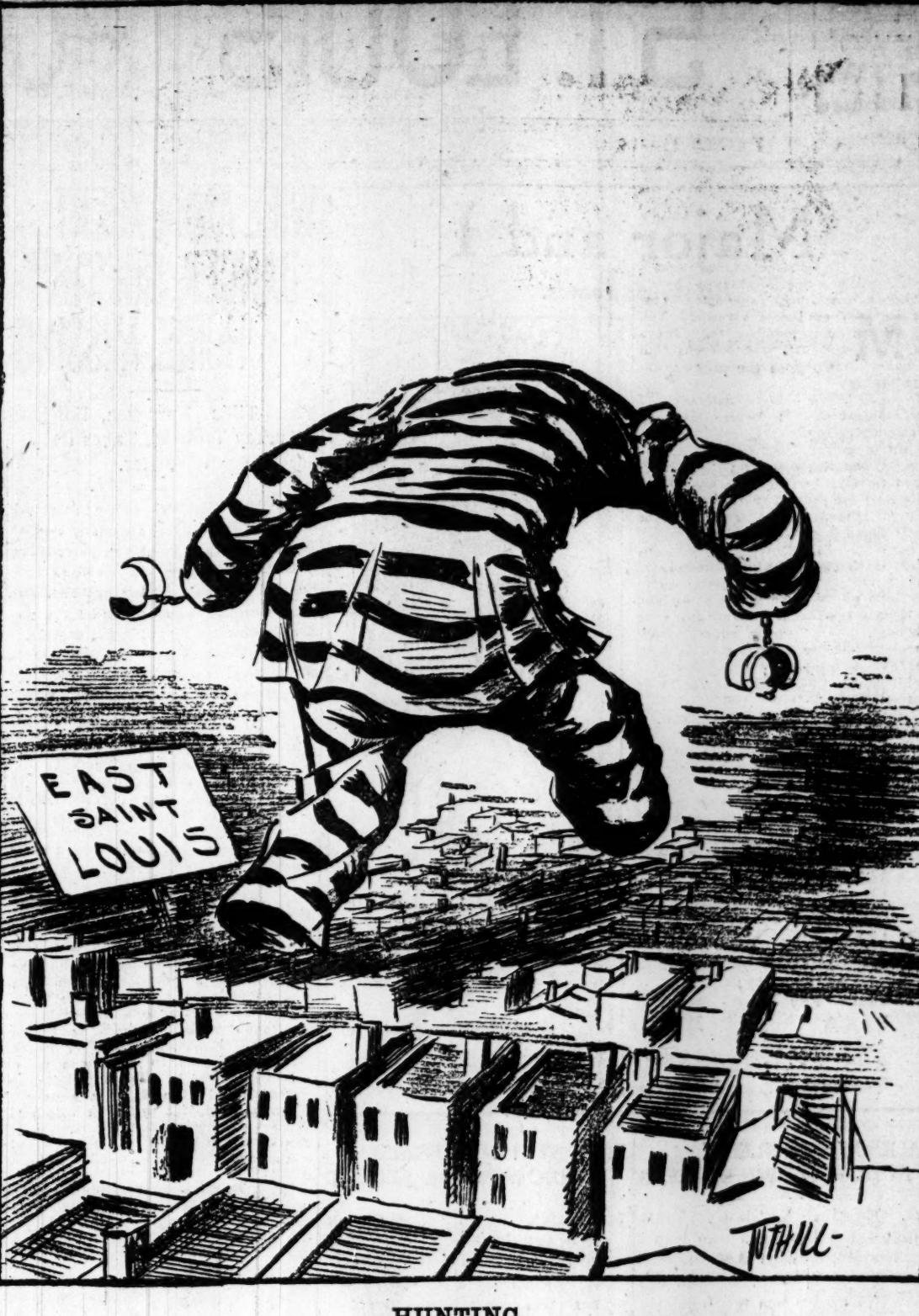
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HUNTING.

JUST A MINUTE

Written for the Post-Dispatch by Clark McAdams.

BALLAD OF HIGH FINANCE.

"Whose soul is that?" St. Peter cried.

"Out-peering through the gate;

"And why does it so stick around;

"From early morn till late;

"Instead of stepping boldly up;

"To ascertain its fate?"

"This is the soul," a voice replied.

"Of Midas Moneyget."

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TOGETHER

By THOMAS L. MASSON.

Author of "The Clown's Code," "The Event of the Season," Etc.
"DON'T you think it's a great idea?" said Whittier, looking at his wife enthusiastically.

"Mrs. Whittier, in her mind on other things, hadn't taken in the full significance of what her husband said. From surface indications she seemed rather indifferent.

"I wasn't listening closely," she said.

Whittier got up and sat down near her, with an earnest look in his face.

"Mary, do you remember our honeymoon days? How quickly the hours passed by, and what a heaven it was!"

"There, there!" said Mrs. Whittier, somewhat briskly. "That's all right, my dear—of course I remember it very well; but this is one of my busy days. Get down to the point."

"The point is simply this—we never see each other alone nowadays. Just think it! Why, we really don't see each other at all. What I purpose is that we shall set aside one day in the week when we can be together."

Whittier's eyes gleamed with sentiment. He took his wife's hand in his.

"Isn't it a grand idea? he whispered. "One solid day enjoying each other's society!"

"Do you mean one day in each week, or just one day?" asked Mrs. Whittier, whose experience with a multiplicity of outside things had made her cautious.

"I mean one day in each week, of course; why not? Do you realize, my dear girl, that the whole human race puts aside one day in the week to rest, or to say that it rests, but two people who love each other as we do, don't even take the time together, a fraction of it? Why, it's really pitiful when you come to think of it! Now I've selected Saturday."

"Saturday!" exclaimed Mrs. Whittier. "Don't you know that's my busiest day?"

"Well, any day you say. I will arrange my business to suit. I consider that love between two people who understand each other as well as we do is more important than anything else. How about Monday?"

Mrs. Whittier began to smile. The impact of the idea had passed; but it really appealed to her.

"It was considerate of you," she said, "to speak of this. Do you know, I have often thought of it myself. Here we are ostensibly living together, but in reality seeing practically nothing of each other; and besides—she put her soft hand upon his—"you work too hard, my dear. We ought to see more of each other. It would do us both a great deal of good. Let me see!"—she paused thoughtfully—"how would Wednesday do?"

"Quite well," said Whittier, somewhat dramatically.

"We might try Wednesday first and see."

"You mean one Wednesday?"

"Yes; and after that?"

"Don't you want?" exclaimed Whittier. "After that it will be an established date with us. Every Wednesday I will put that down in my calendar, and we'll begin right off."

He kissed her enthusiastically, and with a new light in their eyes they went their respective ways.

II.

"Well!" exclaimed Whittier, coming down to breakfast on Wednesday morning. "This is the day of days, indeed! I have arranged everything. I did all my ordering yesterday, and gave instructions not to be called up over the telephone. In fact, nothing can happen that I have not fully anticipated. I am yours, my dear, for the entire day!"

They chatted agreeably—almost ecstatically—during the entire course of the meal. When it was over, Whittier got up, went to his wife's chair, and kissed her on the forehead.

"By Jove," he exclaimed, "I am so happy I can scarcely see! Now, what shall we do?"

"Anything you say."

Whittier reached over and picked up the morning paper with an almost instinctive movement. Then he put his hand into his pocket, pulled out a cigar, and proceeded to cut off the end.

"I am yours," he replied.

As he spoke, he took out a match, but, arrested by the look that appeared on his wife's face, he suddenly stopped in the act of lighting.

"Only, my dear," said Mrs. Whittier, "you're forgetting yourself!"

"Forgotten myself?"

"Certainly."

"What do you mean?"

"You didn't smoke and read the news papers on our honeymoon. Do you realize what you are about to do?"

Whittier slid the cigar back into his pocket and tossed the paper on the table.

"You're right," he said in a dazed tone. "My dear, it only goes to show how far away we are from each other. It was just a matter of habit with me to read the paper; and as for smoking—why, of course, I didn't think about it. Suppose we read the paper together? I will look over the headlines, and if anything is interesting I will read it to you."

Mrs. Whittier folded up her napkin and rose from the table.

"There may be other things more unpleasant than being read to, but I can't think of them just at this moment. No, thank you, my dear! I like to absorb my own information at first hand."

Whittier handed her the paper.

"Perhaps you would like to read it now," he said. "Don't let me interfere with your enjoyment. The pleasure of sitting here and looking at you is quite enough."

Mrs. Whittier grabbed the paper and riveted her eye on a full-page advertisement. Then she, too, tossed it aside.

"I was just about to do what you were doing when she said."

They strolled into the living room. Whittier crossed one leg and then crossed the other. The lack of his morning cigar was a pretty severe test of his temper. He drummed on the table with his hands.

"You seem nervous this morning," said Mrs. Whittier.

THE CANNIBAL, OR, PEACHES

Drawn for the Post-Dispatch by MARGUERITE MARTYN.



LEARN ONE THING EVERY DAY

FORTY years ago there were only 55,000 miles of railroad in this country—mostly east of the Mississippi. Since then population has increased two and a half times and national wealth nearly five-fold. This year, if you add together the tons of freight and the number of passengers, you get the prodigious total of 300,000,000,000. To that add electric road traffic and the country will look like a myriad of dust storms madly dancing in a whirlwind.

This is one of the things that incline us to agree with William English Walling's insistence upon the newness of the present world—the rapidity of change under modern conditions. Economists readily reckon the present industrial era as beginning with the application of steam to manufactures and the introduction of the factory system. Mr. Walling argues that the big-scale application of steam to transportation—which is really only 40 or 50 years old—brought in another revolution even more important than that which began in the eighteenth century.

Perhaps another revolution, wrought by the flying machine, is about to begin. It is certainly true, at any rate, that in many respects the world has moved farther in the last century than it did in the preceding 20; and the pace seems to be accelerating. Both economically and politically, any precedent 50 years old needs very careful consideration before it is accepted as applicable to present conditions.—Saturday Evening Post, Philadelphia.

Woman's Work in the World.

MUCH of the work that needs to be done on the foreign mission field is only a woman can do. The light and cheer that have been brought into the zenanas of the East, the apartments in which the women live in seclusion, are incalculable.

The curse of child marriage and the accompanying horrors of child widowhood in India are giving way largely before the influence and work of women. Not only as spiritual missionaries, but as physicians, teachers and nurses, women are doing wonderful work.

It is impossible for us in this enlightened land to realize the darkness and misery of so much of the human life of the world. It is less than a hundred years now since this specific foreign work for women by women has been going on. The call for workers and for their support is still urgent. What part are the girls of today to have in this glorious task during the next century?—Christian Herald.

Russian Regulations.

THE Holy Synod of Russia says Le Cri de Paris, keeps careful watch upon all that pertains to religion. The synod has just suppressed on the restaurant cards and on the labels of wine bottles the words Lachrymatio Christi (Tears of Christ), the name of a famous Italian wine grown in the neighborhood of Mount Vesuvius, judging the words to be offensive because attached to the pleasures of the table.

A like intention was made concerning the Liqueur de Saint-Georges, of which the French Consul at St. Petersburg had asked introduction into the empire, though as a matter of fact St. George drank only water. The Holy Synod has gone further and now forbids postal employees to obliterate from the stamp the effigy of the Emperor, who is the head of the church, for to do which would be to sell a sacred image.

After exhaustive research in Paris a famous French scientist has recommended a diet equally divided between meats and vegetables as the best for working people.

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QUEST OF THE GOLDEN GIRL

By VICTOR J. WILSON

THE GIRL WHO DID ALL THE COURTING.

ANLIKE, I had made a practice of picking out my own peaches. She gave me no chance to take the initiative. Any intentions of mine to repay my obligations were forestalled by invitations from her. It became customary to let her arrange all our meetings. A man had no time to find out whether or not he cared for Marjory. Her attentions came so close ones upon another.

At Christmas, as a token of friendship, I sent Marjory a book. And to my mortification I received from her a costly scarfpin, containing a pink pearl set in platinum. Hitherto I had been the donor, not the recipient, of gifts. And I did not enjoy the reversal of this habit.

Marjory, for a pretty girl was far more zealous than successful in the courtship of the heart required; for she unceasingly manipulated our relations into a one-sided skirmish.

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JUNGLE TALES FOR CHILDREN

By FARMER SMITH.

DID you ever wish for anything very hard?" asked Jimmy Monkey of the Baby Baboon one afternoon as they sat in the top of a tree.

"Yes," answered the Baby Baboon slowly, "but I didn't always get it."

"That's because you didn't wish hard enough," replied Jimmy.

"Well," said the Baby Baboon, "suppose we wish for—coconut on the ground. How could we get it?"

"Let's wish for it together," answered Jimmy.

"All right," replied the Baby Baboon as he closed his eyes and made a face.

"What are you screwing up your face for?" asked Jimmy.

"I'm wishing hard," answered the Baby Baboon.

"You mustn't wish with your face."

"Naw, sub," said the little fellow.

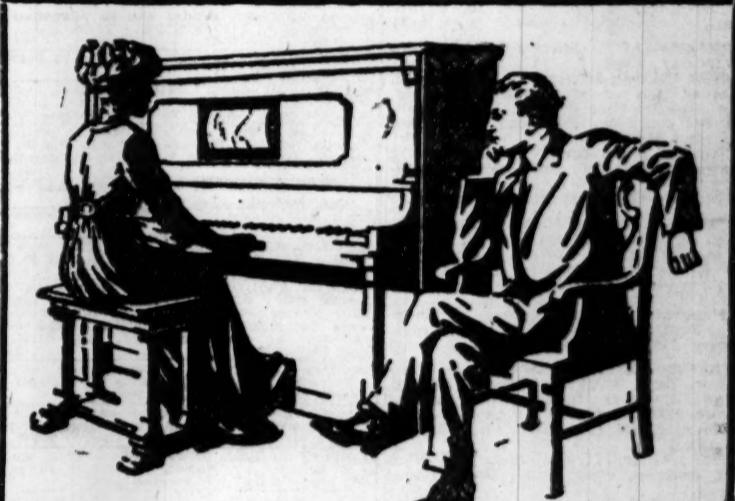
"Oh, Mr. Elephant!" shouted Jimmy, Home Journal.

UP TO THE EARS.

A SMALL negro boy went to a physician to be treated for a painful sensation in one of his ears. The doctor examined and found the ear full of water.

"How did this happen?" he asked, after he had drained the ear; been going swimming."

"Naw, sub," said the little fellow: "been eatin' watermelon"—Ladies' Home Journal.



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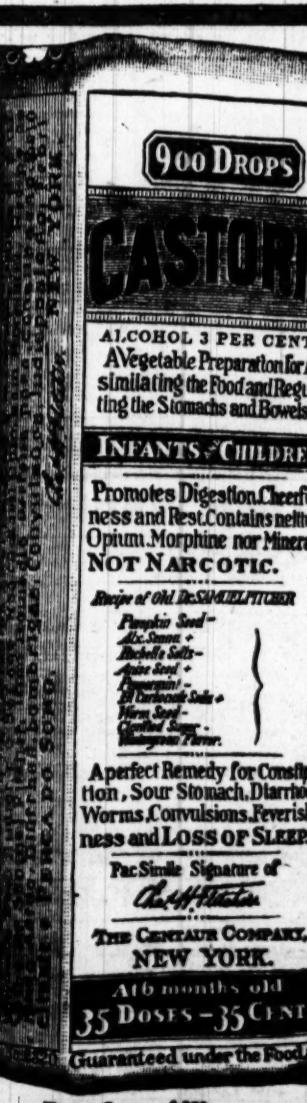
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POST-DISPATCH'S DAILY RECORD OF MARKETS AND FINANCE

PRICE CHANGES ARE TRIFLING IN N. Y. MARKET

Adverse Government Crop Report Fails to Affect Values.

By Lennard Wire From the New York Post

NEW YORK, Sept. 8.—The Evening Post, in its copyrighted financial review today says:

"Prices moved irregularly most of the day, but the same sort of uncertainty that was seen yesterday: No important price change was reported during the early hours, and times that seemed to bear fair support for the standard shares."

"Trading was very light, less than 100,000 shares changing hands during the first three hours. Before the Government crop estimate was published, the market was rather tame in for a good deal of discussion. This showed that the corn belts had not moved independently from the high temperatures that are now prevalent in the Southwest."

"Most of the crop reporting states in the Government report described the week as one of the hardest of the year. However, the day's news from that district showed that the drought had not been as bad as falling since Saturday in Oklahoma and other parts of the grain belt have been affected by the dry weather. Prices were favorably affected by this news and at Chicago both wheat and corn declined. A good deal of interest was taken in proceedings of the Massachusetts Public Service Commission with reference to the New Haven, Conn., institution to issue \$57,000,000 in adventure bonds."

"The occasion developed, some highly interesting charges and counter-charges and a number of the same feeling which was characteristic of the proceedings before the Federal commission a few months ago."

"So far, the Government crop report itself was concerned, was pretty much what had been looked for. For corn, the September condition estimate was placed at 2,340,000 bushels, up from 2,251,000,000 bushels. That would be the smallest crop since 1903, when the yield was 2,244,000,000 bushels."

"The spring wheat estimate was 75,3 against 74,1 last month. This suggests a crop of 11,000,000 bushels, down as a whole. All things considered, no worse than had been looked for, for the indicated production of corn became more than half that of the previous month a few days ago."

The spring wheat condition was definitely reassuring, and suggests a total wheat crop of 750,000,000 bushels, as against the previous high record crop of 748,000,000 bushels in 1907."

"In the last hour of the market improved, and the standard shares advanced practically to yesterday's movement was led by People's Oil. The petroleum stocks were also strong. The figures continued until the close, but the market did not become at all active."

"The movement throughout was spurious, but it was evident that the Government crop report had been interpreted favorably. The market closed with prices in general near the best of the day. The only other news development was the rise in the gold in time money rates, the advance carrying most quotations 1/4 per cent above yesterday."

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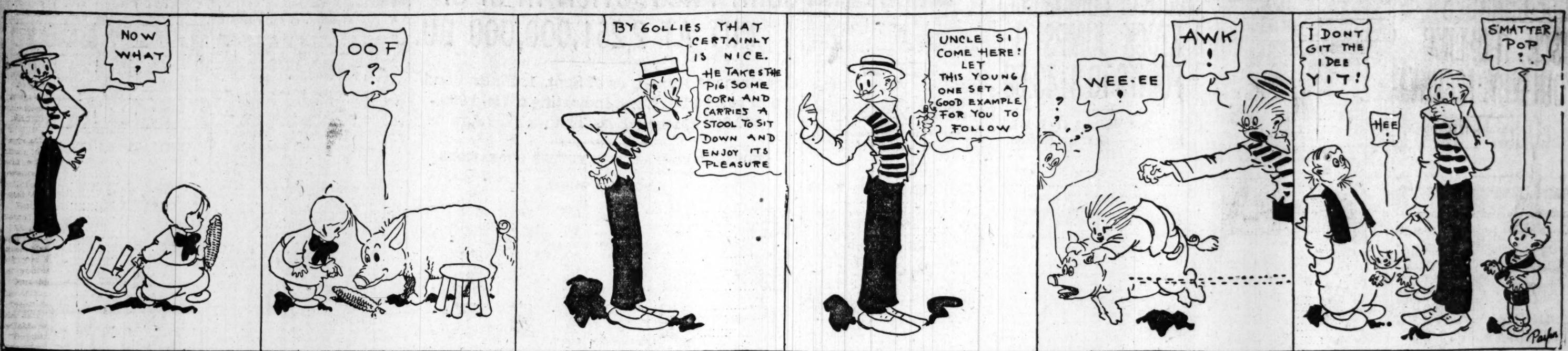
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Drawn for the Post-Dispatch
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The Jarr Family

A daily record written for the Post-Dispatch Comic Page.

By ROY L. MCCARDELL

Mr. Jarr Is Severely Punished for Crimes He Forgot to Commit.

WHEN Mr. Jarr arrived home by taxicab from his society excursion with Gus and the others, it was somewhat after 10 p.m.—middle class retiring time in Harlem.

He counted it all in the day's work and alighted from the vehicle at the corner, bade his companions good-night and hastened home without stopping at Gus' place in response to that gentleman's invitation. In fact, in every way Mr. Jarr's conduct as a home-trained husband was above reproach.

But as he neared the portals of the house wherein he dwelt he saw all the front windows of his apartments darken. It was a danger signal that every husband knows. A worried wife will hang out of a window watching for a belated husband and obsessed with the fear that something has happened to him. Then, when she does see him approach, she is sound, she turns out the lights and receives him in darkness and silence.

"Hello, kid!" said Mr. Jarr cheerfully, as he keyed himself in and turned on a light.

There was no reply from his good lady, who in her boudoir feigned sleep. "I said 'Hello, kid!'" remarked Mr. Jarr. "Ain't mad, are you? Boss sent me again!" she hissed. "I shall never and—"

Mrs. Jarr sat bolt upright. "Don't speak to me! Never speak to me again!" she hissed. "I shall never speak another word to you!"

And to prove how firm was her resolve in this, she poured forth a torrent of reproaches in which Mr. Jarr was charged with everything from cruelty and nonsupport to cold-hearted indifference, neglect of home and job and children, bad company, hard heart and utter collapse of character.

"But, dearie!" pleaded Mr. Jarr. "Just listen, I'll explain."

"Can you explain being with that Gus and the Slavinsky and that Rafferty?" cried Mrs. Jarr. "No, I wasn't watching you from the window. Don't flatten yourself! But I heard all about it!"

"But didn't they telephone you from the office that I was sent to find Dinkston? I mean our efficiency engineer?" asked Mr. Jarr. Mrs. Jarr caught at the first whiffle of the name of Dinkston.

"So that's your famous efficiency engineer—Dinkston!" she cried. "That loafer, that tramp, that wretch who has broken the heart of your poor wife—for even if Mrs. Gratch-Dinkston is a militant suffragette, she is a woman and is somebody's mother, or would be if she had any children."

"So that's the man you are associating with in business? I suppose you got him the position? I'm not bad enough you have your harpoon friends in bar-rooms but that you must take them down in your office and have them with you! And you go out with that sort of people, riding in your taxicabs, while I home waiting and worrying half the time!"

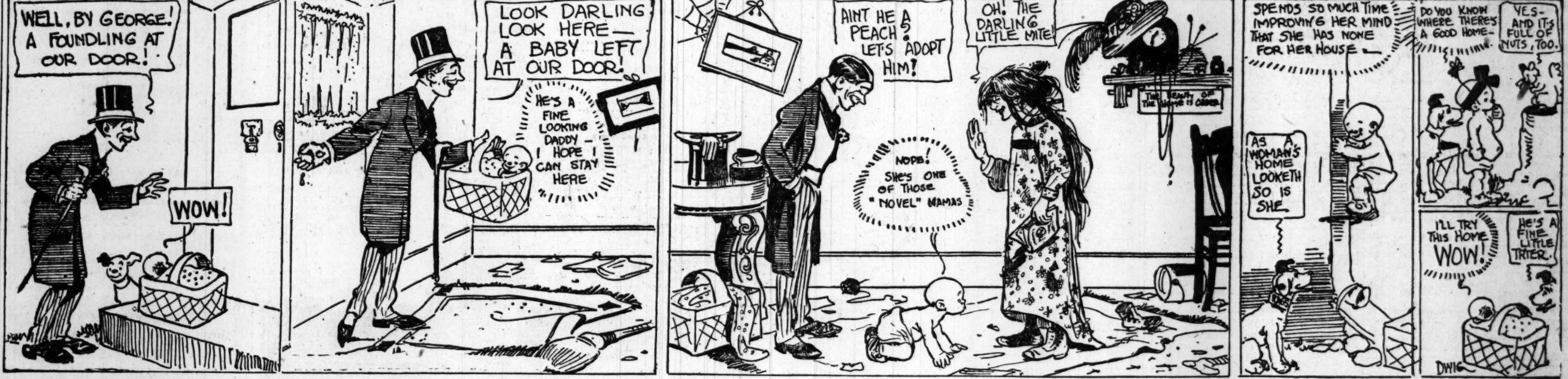
"But it isn't late, dear," said Mr. Jarr. "You'll only be patient!"

"I start! That's why I am treated this way I am!" retorted Mrs. Jarr. "If I am not patient, if I did as other men do! Do I ride in taxicabs when it's out? No! Not even if it's raining in a street car, and maybe ruin what few clothes I have! But you ride in taxicabs with your Gus and your Slavinsky people and thank goodness, we didn't ride in the gold coach chariot! But after this I won't pine and escape and save and deny myself luxuries that you do not deny yourself!"

"Now don't be cross," Mr. Jarr began again. "I, can explain. The office paid for the taxi. Dinkston was with those fellows. I had to find him. The boss sent me to find him. I did find him. You know I was out after them; otherwise him. Be reasonable."

But Mrs. Jarr thought she'd sob a little just to show Mr. Jarr her feelings

HOME WANTED!



Drawn for the Post-Dispatch
By CLAIRE VICTOR DWIGGINS

NO WONDER!



Drawn for the Post-Dispatch
By HERRMANN

From Our Ciderside Correspondent.

(Special to the Post-Dispatch.)
CIDERSIDE, Sept. 6.
HEN THOMPSON says he doesn't know as he'll take summer boarders any more. His wife made such a fuss over the extra work she had to do this summer that Hen didn't get hardly any pleasure at all out of the money he made.

Sam Barlow is going back to college next week. Of course, we'll miss him some, but there have been times during his vacation when we wished Sam would either lose his voice or forget the words and music of "Up-idee."

Sime Walker and O. M. Wick, our popular staple and fancy grocer, ain't speaking to each other these days. O. M. is mad because Sime fed his summer boarders on vegetables from his own garden instead of getting the stuff in cans from the grocery store like everybody else does. Wick avers that Sime's conduct is highly unethical. All we've got to say is that it's mighty unusual.

Sid Trimble is of the opinion that summer boarders are a great institution. He says they are the only people in the world you can go out fishing with and get paid for your time. Sid hasn't had to borrow so much as a chew of tobacco for the last three months.

Your correspondent has been investigating a rumor of the effect that Ab Dusenberry is working for Pete Baryow. Ab says it's true, but Pete Barlow refuses to commit himself any further than to admit that he gave Ab a job and is paying him a dollar and a quarter a day.

Oscar Bushwick was down to the store playing checkers till almost 10 o'clock last night. Needless to say Mrs. B. is away visiting her folks.

Stories St. Louisans Tell

HE KNEW.

LOUIS BARKLAGE, broker, says he met Pietro Arena, Italian fruit peddler, on Fourth street one morning and asked him why he worked so hard to earn money selling apples, pears and peaches, which he carried through the big office buildings in two heavy baskets.

"For my bambini—my kids—my two little-a boys," said Pietro.

"Do your boys go to school?" asked Barklage.
"O, yes. To Patrick Henry School," replied Pietro.
"And who was Patrick Henry?"

Pietro's chest swelled. "Patrick Henry," he said, "was a great beeg-a man who say 'Give me free or give me die.'"



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"WAITER," ordered the peevish diner, "tell the orchestra leader to play something sad and low."

"Yes, sir," said the waiter, "any tune in particular, sir?"

"I don't care what it is," returned the peevish one, "so long as it has a softening influence on this steak."

The Store for Gifts

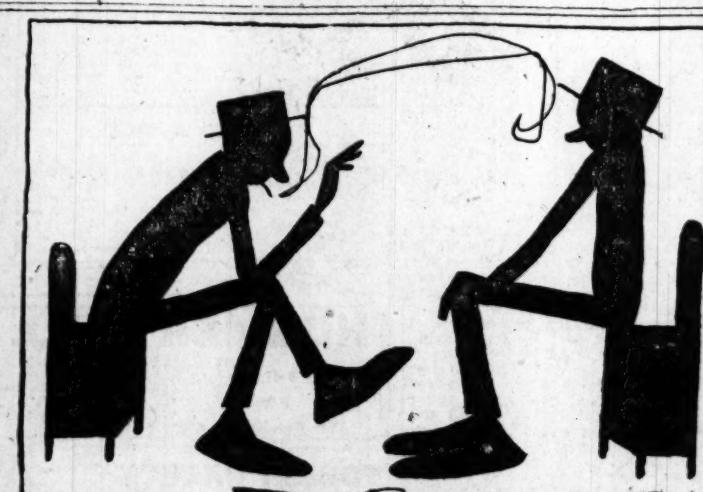
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